THE WEATHER
Unsettled tonight, probably local rains and warmer. **Wednesday** fair and somewhat colder. Strong south to west winds.
Sun rises 6:02 a. m.; sets 5:47 p. m.
Moon new at 2:52 p. m.
High tide 10:40 a. m., 11:06 p. m.
Temperatures to 10 a. m.: Maximum, 37 at 10 a. m.; minimum, 25 at 1 a. m.; average, 31.
Light all vehicles at 6:17 p. m.

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RULES FOR SECOND DRAFT; 95,000 MORE MEN CALLED

4 Paris Air Raiders Are Shot Down

60 PLANES IN ATTACK ON PARIS

Secretary of War Baker in Peril as French Capital Is Bombed by the Germans

By International News Service.

Paris, March 12.—Four of the German aeroplanes that took part in last night's raid on Paris were shot down, it was officially announced today.

A huge fleet of German aeroplanes, composed, it is estimated, of about sixty machines, crossed the French frontier last night in an effort to attack the French capital.

Some of them were driven off by French scouts and high-angle fire before they could reach the city, but a few got through and dropped bombs on Paris proper and the suburbs.

A few buildings were demolished and fires were started.

An official communique received early today says that the number of victims was unknown at that time.

It was not until midnight that the "all clear" signal was given after three hours. The raid and the fights in the air between French and German air machines afforded thrilling experience for Secretary of War Baker, who had only arrived here yesterday morning and was spending his first night in the French capital.

The roar of falling bombs, the flames of the guns, the bursting of shrapnel shells high in the air, and the glimpses of the fleet machines through the glares from numerous searchlights that continuously sweep the sky gave Mr. Baker his first picture of the war at close range.

General Pershing, the American commander-in-chief, and General Tasker H. Bliss, the American representative on the allied council of war at Versailles, had come here to meet Mr. Baker and to escort him to the American front, and it is understood that they too were in the city during the raid.

The air fleet was one of the biggest ever sent out by the Germans to attack either Paris or London.

The attack followed a raid made last Friday night, when thirteen persons were killed and fifty were wounded in this city.

THREE VESSELS SEND OUT CALLS FOR HELP

An Atlantic Port, March 12.—A British steamer that arrived today reports that during the voyage across three S. O. S. calls were picked up from ships in distress.

In each case the call was from a ship disabled with machinery or rudder trouble. None of the calls was from ships in urgent need and therefore the ship arriving today did not respond. Other vessels in the vicinity did.

Within the last ten days four trans-Atlantic steamers have been towed into this port with either rudder or machinery trouble. This, mariners say, is due to the fact that ships are rushed to such an extent since the beginning of the war that they have not had time for the proper overhauling which was the previous custom.

Wounded American in Paris Hospital

First Photograph to Be Received in This Country of U. S. Boys Who Have Shed Their Blood on French Battlefields.

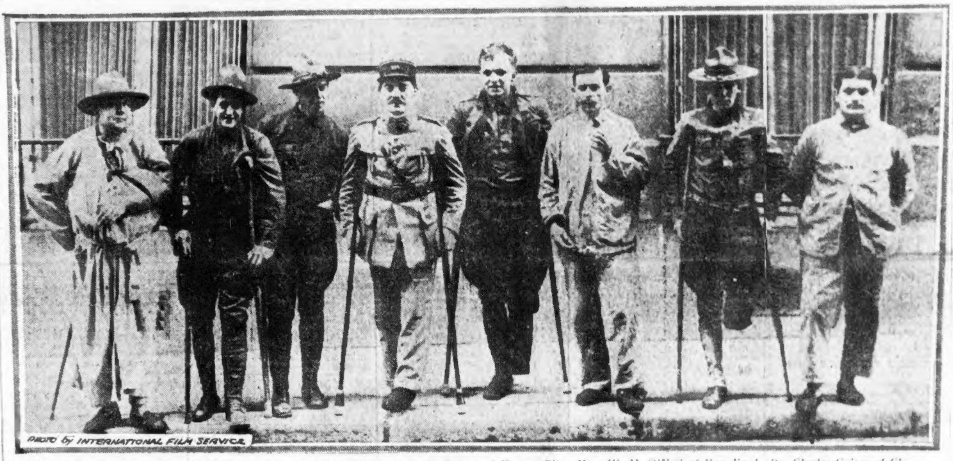
PHOTO by INTERNATIONAL FILM SERVICE

From left to right, F. Haley of New York city, wounded at Cambrai; J. C. Geiger of Kansas City, Mo.; W. H. O'Neil of New York city, Charles Geiger of Chicago and E. W. Darland of Petersburg, Ill. Darland was wounded and captured at Cambrai. In a counter attack by the British he was rescued. His leg was shattered.

WOMAN LEAPS TO DEATH OFF FERRYBOAT

Unidentified, About Forty Years Old; Watch had Initials "E. M. C."

An unidentified woman, about 40 years old, committed suicide today by leaping into the water from the rear deck of one of the Rowe's Wharf ferryboats coming from East Boston. She was taken unconscious from the water by Lieutenant Henry J. Kelley of Engine 32, Charlestown, and Ladderman John J. Collins, who were lowered in one of the lifeboats. They were standing near the woman when she jumped.

She was taken on the ferryboat to Rowes Wharf, where the rescue squad from the Fort Hill Square fire station worked over her with a pulmotor. She died later at the Relief Station.

Deck hands on the ferryboat Ashburnham told the police that the woman had crossed the harbor several times on the boat. She then changed to the Brewster, from which she made her fatal plunge. She removed her hat and coat and glasses before she jumped. Seferal passengers on the boat stood horrified as the woman balanced herself on the rail and then plunged into the surging wake.

The woman was five feet four inches tall and weigher 115 pounds. She wore a watch pinned to her waist inscribed with the initials "E. M. C." She was dark-complexioned and had dark brown eyes. She wore a blue silk shirtwaist, blue skirt and cheviot coat, and mouse-colored straw hat.

HOPE U. S. NOTE WILL HEARTEN RUSSIANS

Congress of Soviets Meeting Today in Moscow Gets Message From Wilson

Washington, March 12.—A prompt stiffening of Russian resistance to the German hordes that are overrunning that stricken nation is hoped for today as the consequence of President Wilson's letter of cheer and encouragement to the Russian Congress of Soviets.

The message, timed to reach those representatives of the Russian people at the moment they begin deliberations on the question of accepting or rejecting the German terms of peace, is expected to have a very weighty influence. Administration circles do not conceal their confidence that it may swing the Russians against accepting the shameful terms dictated by Berlin.

While the message, remarkable in many ways among the President's wide variety of State papers, has for its primary object the rehabilitation of Russia's morale, it has also collateral meanings. It is notice to the world that the President means to the letter his determination that the war shall not end until the present German government is wiped out.

It is notice to the world that when President Wilson said before Congress on January 8 that the terms of peace must include the evacuation of all Russian territory and a chance for Russia's national development he meant exactly that.

NO HOPE IN PRUSSIANISM.

It means that Hertling's stand that the Russian problem concerns only Russia and the central powers and Czernin's insistence that it should be solved by a plebiscite under the con-

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Baker in France to Perfect Support for U. S. Army

By ERNEST P. ORR,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

Paris, March 11.—(Delayed)—Newton D. Baker, the American Secretary of War, declared this afternoon that his purpose in visiting France at this time is to confer with General Pershing, the American commander; to visit the American forces in the field, and to inspect the lines of transportation and the storage supply systems so that America might support more effectively our army in France and the armies of our allies.

"Any visit to France at this time," Mr. Baker continued, "is a pilgrimage to a very shrine of heroism, and is bound to be an inspiration to see the commanders and the armies that have so long held the frontiers of freedom against attack.

In America, as in France, Mr. Baker pointed out, a civilian is Secretary of

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CIVIL SERVICE BOARD APPROVES LOMASNEY

Mayor Peters' appointment of Joseph P. Lomasney as a member of the School House Commission was today approved by the Civil Service Commission. Lomasney took office immediately.

Other Peters appointees confirmed by the Civil Service Commission today were Edward B. Daily, Fred E. Bolton and Philip O'Brien to be principal assessors and Dr. George G. Sears to be a trustee of the City Hospital.

AUSTRALIANS AGAIN RAID ENEMY TRENCHES

London, March 12.—Australian troops again raided German positions in the Messines sector of the West Flanders front during the night, killing a number of Germans and capturing a few prisoners, the War Office announced today. The British casualties were slight. In the sectors of Armentieres and Ypres there were artillery duels.

$200,000,000 MORE IN U. S. LOANS TO BRITAIN

Washington, March 12.—The Treasury Department this afternoon announced a credit of $200,000,000 to Great Britain for the month of March, making that country's total of credits from the United States $3,250,000,000. A credit of $15,000,000 was also given Cuba. These credits are advanced under the new interest rate of 5 per cent.

The total allied credits now aggregate $4,949,400,000.

FINED FOR CAUSING DANCE HALL SCARE

William Pero, 21, of 6 Henlen court, East Boston, was today fined $10 for disturbing a dance in Armory Hall. Pero was accused of throwing a large iron bolt across the floor that caused considerable excitement.

TODAY'S BANK STATEMENT.

Boston bank clearings,	$44,510,267
Boston Sub-Treasury, cr.	108,936
N. Y. bank clearings	586,565,571
N. Y. Sub-Treasury, debit,	2,836,850

U. S. SOLDIERS UNAIDED ON RAID ON HUN

Penetrate the German Lines in New Attack North of Toul

Paris, March 12.—American troops, in their sector of the battlefront in the eastern portion of French Lorraine, in the region of the Rhine-Marne canal, raided the German positions and found them empty. American artillery had been pounding the German defences for more than twenty-four hours and had forced a retirement from the front line by the enemy.

By HENRY G. WALES,
International News Service Staff Correspondent.

With the American Army in France, March 11 (Delayed).—For the first time since they reached France, American soldiers have now attained such efficiency in the science of war that they are allowed to carry out operations against the Germans without the assistance of the French.

This was shown early today when another raid—this one made exclusively by American troops—was directed against the German lines north of Toul. It was the first time that American raiders were not accompanied by French troops and the operation was highly successful, the German position being penetrated to a certain depth. Heavy losses were inflicted on the Germans when several dugouts were blown up.

Forty-five minutes artillery prep-

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TO INCREASE ARMY BY SMALL GROUPS

Washington, March 12.—The calling to the colors of America's first national army was completed today when Provost Marshal General Crowder announced that 95,000 men will be moved into the cantonments beginning March 29.

At almost the same time he formally announced that there would be no set date, as had been unwarrantedly stated all over the country, for the second draft.

The second draft will be taken into the army by steady, gradual assimilation of very small groups of men as room for them develops in the cantonments.

95,000 DRAFTED MEN ORDERED TO CAMPS

Movement to Begin March 29 and Continue for Five Days

Washington, March 12.—The movement of 95,000 selective service men to various cantonments was ordered by Provost Marshal General Crowder today. The movement will begin on March 29 and will continue for five days. The cantonments to which they have been assigned were not announced.

With this movement to camp the first draft will be completed. The number includes 15,000 more than was contemplated because "there is room for them," these additional men being taken from those classified through the questionnaires. The quotas from the South are largely made up of colored men. The State quotas in this movement follows:

Alabama, 2,641; Arizona, 118; Arkansas, 1,541; California, 1,245; Colorado, 121; Connecticut, 345; Delaware, 208; District of Columbia, 101; Florida, 2,505; Georgia, 5,012; Idaho, 312; Illinois, 1,981; Indiana, [illegible]; Iowa, ——; Kansas, 541; Kentucky, 1,461; Louisiana, 3,573; Maine, 345; Maryland, 482.

Massachusetts, 2,065; Michigan, [illegible]; Minnesota, ——; Mississippi, 2,339; Missouri, 1,170; Montana, [illegible]; Nebraska, 453; Nevada, 22; New Hampshire, 312; New Jersey, [illegible]; New Mexico, 121; New York, 12,785; North Carolina, [illegible]; North Dakota, [illegible]; Ohio, [illegible]; Oklahoma, 596; Oregon, [illegible].

Pennsylvania, 1,811; Rhode Island, 201; South Carolina, [illegible]; South Dakota, 226; Tennessee, [illegible]; Texas, 3,012; Utah, 247; Vermont, 156; Virginia, [illegible]; Washington, 881; West Virginia, 1,514; Wisconsin, 2,211; Wyoming, 111.

Provost Marshal Crowder declined to give the cantonments to which the men will be assigned in this new call, as large numbers of selective service men are scheduled to go to France shortly and the naming of the cantonments at this time would indicate the units to go to France.

MANN, STILL ILL, TAKES SEAT IN THE HOUSE

Washington, March 12.—James R. Mann, Republican leader in the House, although not completely recovered from a recent serious illness, has resumed his seat. He will not take active charge on the floor, however, for some time.

CROWDER ENDS 'GUESSES' ON NEXT DRAFT

No Date Will Be Set, He Announces; Men Will Be Called as Wanted

By International News Service.

Washington, March 12.—"The date of the next draft," upon which there has been a plethora of irresponsible speculation by certain press associations, was today revealed as non-existent. Plainly annoyed by the series of unwarranted "announcements" that have appeared all over the country, Provost Marshal-General Enoch H. Crowder this afternoon formally announced there would be no set date for calling the second increment of the national army.

This increment will be assimilated in very small portions, as room for them appears in the cantonments. A national quota and State quotas will be fixed and announced, but these figures will not mean that all the men will be called to the colors at once.

"GUESSES" CAUSE UNREST.

In making his announcement General Crowder said the "mere guesses" appearing almost every week had resulted in an unrest and uncertainty that had been unfortunate. He also declared it is unwise to attempt to

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MARKET OPENS STRONG AND THEN SLUMPS OFF

New York, March 12.—The railroad issues attracted most attention at the opening of the stock market today, gains of around one point being made in this group. Chesapeake & Ohio continued its upward movement, advancing one point to 60, while Union Pacific rose 1⅛ to 122. Lehigh Valley rose ⅜ to 62⅜, while Reading sold up to 82.

Marine preferred was active and strong, advancing 1⅜ to 93⅞, while the common rose one point to 29⅝. Steel common, after selling off to 91⅝, rose to 92. Bethlehem Steel B rose ½ to 80⅝ and Baldwin advanced ⅝ to 77⅝.

Mexican Petroleum was in good demand, selling up to 98⅛. Butte & Superior continued its upward movement, selling ⅝ higher at 24⅛, and Industrial Alcohol made the same gain to 122⅛.

The strength which prevailed in the initial dealings was not maintained during the rest of the forenoon. The higher prices brought out a supply of stocks which caused a number of issues to drop below yesterday's closing levels. Reading dropped one point to 82 and Mexican Petroleum reacted to 97. Marine common moved up one point to 29⅝, while the preferred showed a gain of 1⅜ at 93⅛. Baldwin Locomotive dropped over one point to 76.

GEN. CROWDER SAYS NEXT DRAFT WILL BE ON 'SMALL GROUP' PLAN

PROVOST MARSHAL ENDS ALL 'GUESSES'; NO DATE SET FOR ARMY CALL

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make a forecast of the number of men tha will be called for immediate military service in advance of the development of the whole complex problem of supply and transportation.

After explaining the intricate problem presented by the shortage of farm and other labor and the plans being worked out to solve it by deferred summons and furloughs, the provost marshal-general also revealed the fact that deferred classes as well as men in Class 1 would be called on account of special technical qualifications or for technical training.

It had been supposed that Class 1 would be exhausted before others were drawn, but it was explained this afternoon that men with dependents would not be included in such drafts.

The complete announcement by Gen. Crowder follows:

MANY "ANNOUNCEMENTS."

"There has been a great deal of speculation by the press concerning what has been termed 'the date of the next draft.' Almost every week announcements have been made and these announcements, being mere guesses, have resulted in an unrest and uncertainty that has been unfortunate.

"As a matter of fact the state of preparedness of the army to assimilate recruits varies from day to day and from week to week and the most scientific manner of recruiting the forces will be to withdraw them from civil life as fast as they can be assimilated by the army and no faster.

"According to this plan, men will be inducted into the service in very small groups apportioned among the various States from week to week or from month to month, as they are needed.

"In order to distribute the burden equally over the various States, however, it is necessary to make arithmetical computations of the share of each State, and it is not practicable to make these computations for such small numbers.

For more book-keeping facility, therefore, it is necessary to assume a total of considerable size and to apportion it among the several States as their immediate burden.

NATIONAL AND STATE QUOTAS.

"This total is called a national quota and the various shares are called State quotas. The announcement of the quota does not mean that any such great number of men will be called to military service at once, and, indeed, has no necessary relation to the date of call for the reason that a constantly changed situation causes changes in the number of men who are to be called to the colors.

"It is unwise to attempt to make a forecast of the number of men that will be called for immediate military service in advance of the development of the whole complex problem of supply and transportation. It is also unwise to make public announcements of specific figures which might serve the enemy as a precise basis for determining the plans for military participation of the nation in this war.

"It is necessary, however, to compose the present unrest and uncertainty by some public announcement, and for this reason the following is authoritatively stated:

BASIS FOR COMPUTATION.

"The next national quota will be announced and apportioned among the several States as soon as pending legislation authorizing a change in the basis of computation is enacted by Congress. This legislation has been passed by the Senate and favorably reported to the House military committee.

"The number that will be assumed as a basis for computation will be 800,000, which is well within the authorization of Clause 1 of Section 1 of the selective service act of a second increment of 500,000 men increased by the recruit training units authorized by Clause 5 of said Section 1, and by the special and technical troops authorized by Section 2 of said act.

"It cannot now be announced what the total number to be called to the colors each month will be, but it may be stated that no more men will be called than can be properly accommodated and promptly assimilated.

"There are difficulties confronting the nation in the supply of labor appurtenant to agriculture. Class one, from which new levies are to be withdrawn, will contain many more men than are at present required for the army.

AIDS FARM PROBLEM.

"It would be a most unscientific and fatuous step if the men in Class 1 were called indiscriminately without regard to the labor situation in agriculture. Therefore, the local boards will be directed to fill their quotas in the order of liability of men in class one as determined by the national drawing, except that where it is shown that a registrant is completely and assiduously engaged in the planting, cultivation or reaping of a crop has call to the colors shall be deferred to the foot of the quota of his board, as long as he continues to be so engaged.

"Whenever any registrant, whose call to the colors has been deferred by reason of his engagement in agriculture, is shown to have been idle on the farm on which he is engaged or to have trifled with the deferment that has been accorded him, the boards will forthwith induct him into military service if his order number has been reached in the meantime.

"The effect of this expedient is to grant furloughs from service prior to actual call to the colors to the men so greatly needed in the production of this year's crop.

PLAN FOR FURLOUGHS

"This is not, however, the only expedient that is to be adopted to conserve the supply of labor appurtenant to agriculture and to mobilize all means for increasing the harvest for the agricultural season of 1918.

"There is now pending before Congress a bill authorizing the secretary of war to grant furloughs, with or without pay, to men in the army to enable them to engage in industrial and agricultural pursuits. The purpose of this bill is to relieve serious situations in particular instances in which men, who are the mainstay of farms, have been inducted into the service either through voluntary enlistment or selection and whose services during the present emergency in agriculture are needed.

"These furloughs will be granted after consideration of the circumstances of the individual case in which they arise, and when the military situation is such that they can be granted without too great disruption and disorganization of the army or of any particular organization of the army.

CALL TO COLLEGE MEN.

"As to further means to protect agriculture a new regulation has been promulgated authorizing agricultural students in their senior year in land grant colleges to enlist in the enlisted reserve corps of the quartermaster's department provided their class standing is such as to place them in the upper third of their class.

"By this means it will be possible to defer the draft call of such young men in order to enable them to perfect themselves as agriculturists and thereafter to protect them in such service as it may seem that they should perform in the best interests of the nation.

"The whole industrial and agricultural situation is being subjected to a very comprehensive study in order to discover any means that may be taken to protect and augment the labor supply appurtenant to industry and agriculture without precluding the prompt and orderly progress of our military plans.

WAR OF MECHANICS.

"It is confidently believed that great progress can be made along this line and that more effective measures than any yet devised can be put into operation to attain the desired end.

"It must be emphasized that this is a war of mechanics. The need of the several armed forces for men highly skilled in technical and mechanical pursuits is greater than in any former war. Yet this need for specially skilled men finds the nation under a necessity for increasing its production in almost every line of industry.

"Withdrawals of men from industry must be made and these withdrawals must take men who might otherwise be deferred on account of their special qualifications and skill.

"The necessary numbers of such skilled men will be obtained in one of three ways. First, men already in the military service who have such special skill will be taken from the line regiments and assigned to the staff organizations and departments where their skill is needed.

Second, men classified by the selection boards, even though they may have been placed in a deferred classification, will be withdrawn with great care and particularly from the industries of the nation for special service in staff corps and departments.

TO TRAIN SCHOOLBOYS.

"Third, young men of draft age with certain educational qualifications will be inducted into the service and sent to universities, colleges and technical and secondary schools to be instructed in technical arts until they have acquired such proficiency as will justify their assignment to the special units that are being organized in considerable numbers.

"In accordance with this plan, the provost marshal general has already called upon the states for some 10,000 skilled artisans and will shortly call upon the states for 10,000 young men, graduates of grammar schools, who will be sent before the first of April to various technical and other schools throughout the United States for a two months course of training.

"Regularly thereafter an increasing stream of selected men will be sent through educational and other training institutions for this purpose.

TO CALL SMALL GROUPS.

"To sum up, it may be said that there will be no sudden withdrawal of men from the ranks of industry and agriculture during the coming Summer, but that men will be drawn in relatively small groups throughout the year in such a way as to create the least possible interference with industry and agriculture.

"Men in deferred classes as well as in Class 1 will be selected in small numbers either on account of their special technical qualifications or for the purpose of sending them to schools where they will be given an opportunity to acquire such qualifications."

U. S. Flyer Killed, Two Injured as Planes Crash

By International News Service.

San Antonio, Tex., March 12.—One dead and two injured is the toll here today of one of the most spectacular airplane crashes at Kelley Field No. 2 since its establishment. Lieutenant Loson L. Mitchell of Okolona, Miss., was killed instantly. The injured are Cadet Joseph A. Wakefield and Cadet J. W. Pemberton.

Mitchell and Wakefield were returning from a cross-country flight and Pemberton, flying alone, appeared from another direction. The machines met with a terrific crash when 100 feet above ground. The two planes started spinning to earth locked together. Several hundred cadet fliers had been watching the aviators and were horrified when they beheld the collision. They rushed to the spot where the machines fell and hurriedly extricated the men. Mitchell was dead when pulled from the wreckage.

MELROSE HONORS BOY DEAD IN FRANCE

Flags on public buildings in Melrose were half masted today in honor of William R. Taylor, 21 years old, who died from disease in France. There will be a public funeral later.

Taylor, who sailed only three weeks ago, was the son of Mary and the late William A. Taylor, of No. 138 Franklin street, Melrose. He enlisted in the aviation corps last September, and was trained at San Antonio, Texas, and Rantoul, Illinois. He leaves three brothers, one of whom, George M., is in the Canadian army, two sisters and a mother.

WOLCOTT GETS ORDERS FOR NEW DRAFT

Emergency Conscription Will Take 2,000 Men From Bay State; to exempt Farmers

The new draft move from Washington is an emergency call preceding the new national or second big draft according to the text of the telegram received today by Major Roger Wolcott officer in charge of the draft in Massachusetts.

It was announced here that all the local boards are in readiness for the emergency draft and that it would be expedited.

The text of today's order from Washington follows:

"A new national and State quota will be announced as soon as Congress acts on pending legislation governing the apportionment of quotas.

"In the meantime it will be necessary to call a new increment of about 90,000 men to be distributed equally throughout the United States. In several cases this call will run over the current quota of the State and boards upon which it is made, but the excess will be credited on the new quota of each State and board effected, as will all other excesses to special calls.

TO EXEMPT FARM LABOR.

"The situation arising from the scarcity of farm labor demands that the call to the colors of men actively, completely and assiduously engaged in the planting of and cultivation of a crop, but who are in Class I and within the new pota, should be deferred until the end of the newo quota.

"Please instruct your local boards, therefore, that the President directs that in filling this emergency call they shall pass the order numbers of such men and defer the call for the present.

"It must be borne in mind that this step is taken solely in the need of the nation and not for the benefit of any individual. Therefore, all boards should consider it a grave duty to exercise this power to conserve and augment agricultural production, they should observe closely the conduct of trose deferred and immediately upon becoming convinced that any person so deferred is not giving his entire time and earnest attention to agricultural duties or that he is trifling with the deferment thus granted him, the board should forthwith call him to the colors.

"All citizens should assist in making this expedient efficient and in bringing to the attention of the board cases meriting deferment as well as cases in which deferment is being abused."

2,000 MEN FROM BAY STATE.

The new call just received from Provost Marshal-General Crowded by Major Wolcott, who has charge of the drafted men in Massachusetts will be conducted by the questionaire system.

The quotat assigned to Massachusetts is a little in excess of 2,000 men. They will entrain for different camps in the country, the names of which will be announced after the movement of the men has been completed. The date set for the departure of the men is beginning March 29 and for the next few days thereafter.

All of the Boston draft boards are ready for the call and no delay is expected in the mobilization of the men. The quotas from each local board will be announced later from the adjutant-general's office.

Heavy Bombardments in Verdun Sector and on the Lorraine Front

By International News Service.

Paris, March 12.—Heavy bombardments were reported from the Verdun sector and the Lorraine front by the War Office today.

During the night, the communique said, the big guns were especially active on the eastern bank of the Meuse and in the sectors of Beillon and Anceville.

A German aeroplane was shot down during the night, falling north of Soissons. The three occupants were captured.

American soldiers are holding part of the line on the Lorraine front.

The aeroplane mentioned in the communique was evidently one of the squadron that attacked Paris.

United States Gas Shells Are Effective Against the Germans

By International News Service.

Washington, March 12.—America is prepared to give Germany the worst beating of all at Germany's own game of gas attack. Reference in dispatches from the front to the effectiveness of American gas shells in silencing heavy enemy batteries is the first official indication of use of gas by the United States.

It may be stated in this connection that the group of scientists and military men who have been studying the gas and flame problem from both the attack and defence angle here have attained results that will be a great surprise to the Boche.

Two elements enter into the American superiority in this respect. The first is the comprehensive manner in which the whole subject has been studied. The second is the known shortage of leather and rubber in Germany. Without leather and rubber efficient gas masks cannot be made.

No indication is possible as to the contents of the American gas shells or the tactics used in attack and defence. But the men who have been working out the problems here are thoroughly satisfied that so far their work has proven good.

Retired Policeman Dead

Worcester, March 12.—Edson Fairbanks, a Civil War veteran and one of the oldest retired members of the police department, is dead at his home, No. 50 Maywood street, aged eighty years.

The War in Europe

By ANTHONY ARNOUX,
Famous Writer on Military Topics.

The events of yesterday in the West, none of which, considered individually, was of very great importance, were of the character which usually precede an operation of importance.

There were any number of small but vicious raids along the whole line. The artillery duels were numerous and in some sectors rather intense and the aviators of all sides were very active.

This coincidence of activities seems, taken in conjunction with the season of the year, significant, particularly as the ground is now getting into reasonably good condition. Nevertheless this situation has not yet developed to that degree which warrants any definite conclusion as to the course of events in the immediate future.

On the Italian front, while the fighting was a little brisker, it did not lift itself much above the level of ordinary routine. The Italians report the repulse of an Austrian attempt to cross the lower Piave, near Fagare, which seems to have been the principal incident of the day.

In Mesopotamia the British report an advance beyond Hit on the Euphrates. The Turkish garrison of Hit evacuated the place before the arrival of the British and retreated to Kham-Bagdadi, twenty-nine miles further west, apparently without loss, except such as they suffered from aerial bombing attacks during their retreat.

For the first time in some days we were favored with a bulletin from the Macedonian front, though the event chronicled therein, a successful trench raid by the British, was not over important.

TROTZKY OUSTED.

Russia supplied us with the usual mixture of fact and fiction. Trotsky was ousted by Lenine because he was violently opposed to the ratification of the peace recently negotiated with the Central Powers. Hard fighting is going on in Finland between Red guards and White guards at various points, and the Teutons are reported to have landed 2,000 artillery and infantry at some point on the Finnish coast. Fighting has begun in Siberia, near the Manchurian frontier, where General Demenoff's Cossacks and the Bolsheviki have clashed.

China is developing well as a prolific source of rumors, and if the present rate of progress is kept up it will not be long before in this respect she is fully equal to great Russia. Prince Lvoff, the first premier of Russia after the revolution, and other members of the original ministry, are reported to be in Pekin awaiting Japan's decision as to what she is going to do in Siberia, etc.

There is no authentic news from Japan. The Japanese Foreign Minister refused to be drawn into a discussion concerning the mobilization and Japan's policy in Siberia, in the Japanese Parliament, and there seems to be no truth in the semi-sensational reports of the diplomatic conversations with Japan in which certain of the Allies are supposed to be engaged. The London papers inform us that Germany's relations with the Scandinavian countries are becoming very strained.

DEMAND FULL DETAILS.

Various influential British newspapers, not confined to London alone, have started a crusade to compel the government to publish full details of the submarine sinkings of British ships and also the British Navy's sinkings of submarines.

It is asserted, and probably with good reason, that the British public generally has become accustomed to reading of the sinkings of more or less ships per week, and has become oblivious through familiarity to the danger represented by such sinkings. Hence economy in food consumption, etc., is not exercised to the degree which the situation has rendered imperative.

There is a good deal of human nature in this attitude of the British public. The late John Redmond's son has already announced himself as a candidate for his father's seat in Parliament. He will be opposed by a Sinn Feiner, and good political opinion on Ireland seems to consider that the result of an election in Waterford at this time is very difficult to predict. Possibly, however, the name of Redmond would be the strongest the Nationalists can put forward.

WOUNDED MEN FROM CANADA ARRIVE HERE

Dominion Hospitals Crowded; Boston to Treat Many Casualties

Because of the overcrowded condition of the Canadian hospitals, fourteen wounded Canadian soldiers have reached here for treatment in Boston hospitals. The men came by rail, and were met at the North Station by ambulances and distributed among the various hospitals. This is the first contingent of wounded Canadian soldiers that has been sent to New England, but others will follow, and it is expected that within the next few weeks several hundred will have arrived here.

Some of the men already in Boston are suffering from wounds that require the attention of the most skilled surgeons in the world, who, Canadian military authorities have become convinced, are located in Boston.

Requests have been pouring into the British and Canadian Recruiting Mission at No. 44 Bromfield street all day today from New England cities for the big tank Britannia, which is due to reach Boston April 1. Mayor Morse of Haverhill personally visited the mission and asked that the tank be sent there on April 19 to take part in a big Patriots' Day celebration which he has planned. The tank is to remain in Boston and vicinity from April 1 to 15, but its later itinerary has not yet been arranged.

It is possible that its stay may be prolonged, and if it is the Britannia may be in the Patriots' Day celebration in Boston on the 19th to boom the Liberty loan.

According to present plans the "Britannia" will visit several New England cities close to Boston. From the time the mission headquarters were opened this morning the medical board was kept busy examining men anxious to enlist in the British and Canadian armies. Among them were about a dozen men who joined the various Irish divisions and who will leave for the training camps in England within the next few days.

A recruiting rally was held at Liberty Cottage on the Common today. It was addressed by Major M. M. Hart of the 4th Canadian Mounted Infantry, Captain T. F. MacMahon of the Irish Guards, and Sergeant A. H. Warwick of the 20th Canadian Battalion.

Twenty-four men, on their way from New York to the British Army depot at Windsor, N. S., passed through Boston today.

AMERICANS IN TRENCH RAID BEAT GERMANS

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aration preceded the attack, which was carried out by picked troops. Much material and data information was secured. No prisoners were captured however.

The occupant of a German listening post in "No Man's Land" attempted to fire upon the Americans as they were returning, but the post was blown up with hand bombs.

The American raid was distinct from the three made by mixed forces of French and American troops on the Lorraine front on Saturday.

28 American Soldiers Are Killed in Action, Washington Reports

By International News Service.

Washington, March 12.—The names of twenty-eight Americans killed in action are announced by the War Department. Three deaths from accident, five from disease and one from wounds and seven others slightly wounded were also reported. Three men previously reported missing were today reported taken prisoners.

KILLED IN ACTION.

Lieutenant John H. David.
Corporal Ralph R. Flora.
Corporal Edward V. Sullivan.
Private George Adkins.
Private Mike Ahearn.
Private Oscar Ampion.
Private Thomas S. Bragg.
Private Patrick Britt.
Private Joseph D. Brakefield.
Private Arthur Christfully.
Private Frank T. Cockrell.
Private William Drain.
Private Philip Finn.
Private Edwin L. Fitch.
Private John J. Haspel.
Private Arthur V. Hagney.
Private George E. Heney.
Private Edward J. Kearney.
Private James P. Kennedy.
Private Peter Laffey.
Private Fred R. McGill.
Private Frank A. Meagher.
Private William A. Moylan.
Private James J. Mulvehill.
Private William N. Sage.
Private Walter W. Sanders.
Private George D. Sanford.
Private Robert Snyder.

DIED FROM ACCIDENT.

Corporal Marshall Jones.
Private Frederick E. Pieper.
Private John Uhlianiuk.

DIED FROM WOUNDS.

Private Hugh I. Hunt.

DIED FROM DISEASE.

Private Carl S. Burgett.
Private James C. Flowers.
Private John K. Horton.
Private Clarence V. Legal.
Private Abraham H. Philhower.

SEVERELY WOUNDED.

Private Herman D. Gentry.

BAKER TELLS WHY HE WENT TO FRANCE

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War. That civil power is supreme is a characteristic of our free institutions. We are fighting to maintain civil power, added the Secretary.

In America the dominant thought in all minds is that supplies must be brought up and industrial resources must be organized so that the army can be supported.

The secretary declared that there was much satisfaction over the fact that war industries were organized at the beginning. Quantities of war materials are now accumulating, while a great army is completing its training to join the forces already in France.

There can be but one result when the forces of civilization of the great countries like the allies combine to defend the vital principles of liberty, continued the Secretary.

PLEASED AT FRENCH WELCOME.

"President Wilson phrased the spirit of America when we entered the war, and his subsequent declarations reflect the feelings of the entire country," Mr. Baker continued.

"Americans have committed all their resources to the winning of the war."

Secretary Baker said he was greatly pleased by the welcome accorded him at the French port where he landed. There has been a spirit of cordiality between the French and Americans since the beginning.

Mr. Baker said that he had made the whole voyage without seasickness.

RUSSIANS GET OFFER OF AID FROM U. S.

Hope That Wilson's Message May Stiffen Soviets in Consideration of German Terms

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trol of Teuton army of occupation, have strengthened his conviction that peace cannot be obtained while Prussianism is in the saddle.

It means that the United States stands irrevocably committed to the doctrine enunciated by the President in Congress, Feb. 11, when he declared that every territorial settlement involved in this war must be made in the interest and for the benefit of population concerned.

The German terms to Russia contemplate no such thing, it was pointed out today, and the President has made clear to the Russians in his own frank, direct manner the kinship and support real democracy in Russia may expect from the United States.

It was a matter of great satisfaction to administration officials today that the President adopted the means he did of reaching the Russian mind. His message, brief and pithy, was stripped of everything not absolutely vital. With engaging candor, it was pointed out, he sketched the situation as it exists and in simple, direct language committed the United Sattes to the support of a real Russia.

In some quarters the message was taken to be a forerunner of recognition by the government of the provisional rule now existing in Russia. Officials were reticent upon this phase of the situation, but it was admitted some action along this line is not beyond the realm of possibility.

From confidential sources the President has received information that convinces him that the Russian situation is not as hopeless as many people believe. Admitting that chaos now exists, it is pointed out that the Germans, while apparently completely victorious in Russia, still have a long road to travel before they can turn their advantage into a real, tangible asset.

Say Wilson Message Is Boldest Diplomatic Move of Whole War

By H. H. STANSBURY,
Staff Correspondent of the American.

Washington, March 11.—President Wilson's message to the Russian Soviet Congress, forwarded to Moscow and made public tonight, is regarded in official circles as the boldest and most far-reaching diplomatic move of the world war.

It substantiates this government's policy as consistently outlined by the AMERICAN. It is declared to serve four specific purposes.

1—Support for the Bolshevik elements in the Soviet Congress, which are expected to oppose the ratification of the German peace treaties signed at the behest of Nickolai Lenine and encouragement for all political factions in Russia to rally around new leaders and continue the fight for freedom of government and against autocracy.

2—Warning to Japan that the United States will never agree to intervention or the occupation of Siberia by Japanese forces against the expressed wishes of the Russian people.

3—Promise of recognition and cooperation from the United States for the first organized political body in Russia which undertakes to defy Germany, restore order and establish a democratic form of government.

4—Restatement of war aims, which warns the co-belligerents of the United States that President Wilson will adhere steadfastly to the policy of non-aggression of territory and the right of self-determination for peoples.

SANFORDS GINGER
For Our Soldier Boys In Camp
For colds, chills and grip, cramps, pains, indigestion, touches of rheumatism and neuralgia, Sanfords is grateful and comforting and always healthful. It's the dose in time that saves nine.
When purchasing look for the Owl Trade Mark on the wrapper lest you get a cheap, worthless or dangerous substitute. Forty-six years the standard of purity, flavor and strength. Sold by all druggists and grocers.

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Mr. John Tilton, our representative, will be at
Poland Water Office
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MANSION HOUSE
Open All the Year

TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY.
WANTED
A WHITE PORTER
ONE WITH GOOD HABITS.
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BEACON MOTOR CAR CO.
660 BEACON ST., CITY.

Ella E. Conomy says: " 'Call a spade a spade'

"For a long time after I grew up I was rather suspicious of things in general and of store advertisements in particular. I had somehow come to the opinion that they all should be taken with a grain of salt.

"You can imagine my surprise, therefore, say about nine years ago, when I read an advertisement from Filene's Basement, announcing that they would pay a prize to the first person reporting any misstatement or exaggeration found in advertisements, signs or price tags.

"Here was a store that at least intended and tried to tell the truth. But, I'll confess to you today, I had to convince myself even of the truth of this announcement before I 'swallowed' it.

"Of course, I did convince myself and today, in a spirit of helpfulness, I'm telling you about it. It still stands and so does their determination to tell the truth. If you can discover an error, you'll have no difficulty in collecting the prize."

The plan that forces bargains! All goods here must sell at first prices or come down automatically 25% after 12 selling days, 50% after 18 selling days, 75% after 24 selling days. Goods given away after 30 selling days.

Filene's Automatic Bargain BASEMENT

These and other bargains by the hundred for Wednesday:

Women's and misses'
Spring suits
hundreds
— many are high grade samples

$18.50
Fine serges, gabardines and fine wool poplins in a number of good-looking new models: plain and novelty silk linings; navy, tan, infantry blue; sizes 16 to 40. Also a few taffetas.

$24.75
Many one-of-a-kind models will be found among the excellent serge suits grouped at this price. Navy, tan and other Spring shades. Sizes 16 to 44.

$29.75
Extra fine serges, Poiret twills and silvertones, a great many of them high-grade one-of-a-kind models. Navy blue, of course. Also tan, gray and infantry blue; sizes 16 to 36.

$18.50 $24.75 $29.75

High priced? Not a bit of it—for such suits! Every one is a typical Filene Basement bargain.

New trimmed
hats $2.35
The new pineapple braid used with crepe, silk ribbon or sport silks, some embroidered in worsted or silk. A few suitable for misses.

$2.35

$1.29

Fine voile lingerie
waists
$1.29
All with large square collars, embroidered and Val. lace trimmed —some even with embroidered fronts.

Girls' plaid gingham
dresses
50c
Blue, pink and tan plaids with white linene collars, belts and pockets. Sizes 6 to 14.

50c

Plenty of men's, women's, children's rubbers

—Hundreds of other bargain lots—

DECLARES ELEVATED HAS MADE NEW RECORD FOR SLOW SERVICE

TOOK OVER 2 HOURS TO GET A CAR

Representative Mealey Tells of Poor Service on the Jamaica Lines

Boston Elevated service has made a new record. It is the worst in the world, according to Representative Stephen R. Mealey who declares he waited two hours and fifteen minutes for a Jamaica Plain car.

"I call that the limit of service," declares Mealey. "No city in the world can surpass it. If it will do the Elevated officials any good to know it, they have the worst service in the world, in my opinion. I waited two hours and fifteen minutes for a Jamaica Plain car, but I could have walked to where I wanted to go in twenty-five minutes."

Representative John P. Englert, also of Jamaica Plain, says the Elevated officials have ignored invitations to attend mass meetings to protest the service given to the people of this section and declares the Elevated is indifferent as to whether the people get good service.

Three tieups in service in different sections of the city during the rush hour and lasting for half an hour in each case caused the hopeless collapse of Elevated service, patrons declare.

SAYS MEN ARE INDIFFERENT.

A prominent business man, declaring the service is "unquestionably rotten," says that it is having its influence upon the employes, and they are not doing all they should to improve it.

"These men, the motormen and conductors, have had to take the kicks of the public for weeks and it is only natural that they should retaliate by their indifference to whether the service is improved, or not," he asserted. "The spirit of the men is bad and it will continue to be bad until there is some noticeable effort to make the service better."

Representative Mealey declares he is afraid to enter the Dudley street terminal nowadays.

"It's not altogether on account of the service," he declared, "although Dudley street is a terrible place to wait for a car. It is because I am constantly meeting the people of my district there who have been waiting so long for cars that they are ready to take out their ill feeling on anyone who happens along.

"Are you fellows in the Legislature doing anything at all to make this service better?' is the first question they ask. And they want to know if the Legislature takes any interest in whether the people get service or not.

WAITED OVER TWO HOURS.

"I stood at Tremont and Northampton streets on Sunday night for three-fourths of an hour from 12:25 a. m. until 1:10 o'clock waiting for a Jamaica Plain car. None came, so I decided to wait there until one did come and I waited there until 2:40 a. m. before a car appeared."

"Now I could have easily walked home in twenty-five minutes, but when I had put in nearly an hour waiting for a car I decided I would stick it out just to see how long one would be in coming. I asked the starter the cause of the delay and he told me I had just missed a car.

"There were several other people waiting for the car whose names are known to me and if the Elevated want to investigate to make sure whether they have the worst car service in the world I will give them the names."

The rush hour service during the storm collapsed on several lines. Shortly after 9 o'clock there was a breakdown at the Park and Boylston street subways and several lines, including the Lake street, Commonwealth avenue line, the Jamaica Plain cars and the Newton and Brighton cars were stalled for half an hour. At the Egleston square station traffic was completely tied up from 8:45 until after 9 o'clock. Earlier in the day the Beacon street Reservoir cars were delayed fully half an hour, the lack of help being given as a reason by the starter.

BUILT FIRE UNDER CAR.

A Grove Hall car broke down just before arriving at the Dudley Street station at the waning of the rush. The conductor stated that the air reservoir was frozen and built a fire under it, the women passengers declared. They sat in the car with the fire burning underneath them for twenty minutes. Then the car was started.

Representative Englert says that Elevated hide is pretty tough and the sharpest kind of complaints fail to penetrate it.

"President Brush, Transportation Manager Dana and other Elevated officials were invited to a mass meeting which we held recently in the Jackson Social Club hall. The hall was full to overflowing because I had sent flyers through the district announcing that the Elevated officials had been invited to come and explain why the people were being given such frightful service and how long we would have to endure that hideous nightmare—the Dudley street terminal in its present condition.

"Not an Elevated official appeared. The only Elevated men in the gathering were two employes in uniform who said they had come to hear the kick. They heard them all right. I made sure that the letters had reached the Elevated officials the next day so that they could not offer that as an excuse."

Boston's Car Service as It Is Seen Today and Forty Years Ago

TODAY

"To a stranger visiting Boston the predominant, outstanding feature that impresses him most forcibly **is the dilapidated and antiquated appearance of the street cars.** Outside of the comparatively few, stepless, center-door cars, which are modern, efficient and attractive in every respect, the equipment on the streets of Boston is either semi-obsolete or completely so.

"The condition of the rolling stock is be[illegible]ng worse every day. Age and reduced repairs have only [illegible] inevitable result of hastening the cars to **their ultimate destination, the scrap heap."**—*From report of JOHN A. BEELER, New York traffic expert, 1918.*

FORTY YEARS AGO

"The street railway system in Boston, although controlled by a few companies, is nevertheless quite extensive and admirably conducted. The lively competition of the various companies causes each one to put forward the **best accommodations that can be given.**

"The cars are generally first-class, and may justly be called palace cars. Almost every part of the city and its vicinity can be reached by a ride in the street cars. They are always to be found at every railroad depot and almost every steamboat wharf; and the economical traveler can always be sure of tranportation from his place of arrival to his place of destination, if not by one direct ride, at most by one transfer. Nearly 140 miles of track are operated by the various companies."—*From King's Handbook of Boston, 1878.*

'SPY' DINED HERE ON INTERNED STEAMSHIPS

Activities of Korthaus Revealed by Detectives; Woman Head of Plot in Boston

Secret meetings and lavish banquets of Germans aboard interned German liners in Boston were disclosed today as part of the activities here of William Korthaus, now jailed in New York as an enemy alien. Federal investigation of the case indicates that a Boston woman was the directing head of an extensive German spy system, covering the whole northeastern section of the country and centering in Boston.

With others, Korthaus was in the habit of reporting to this woman. He made his headquarters in Providence in 1915 and during that and the following year made frequent visits to Boston.

He was present on one of the interned German liners in Boston at a dinner given in honor of the Kaiser. Details of this gathering have been learned by the federal investigators.

WROTE MANY LETTERS.

Korthaus, who was taken under a presidential warrant, will be the first to be tried by the new Enemy Alien Bureau which was opened recently in New York. Evidence shows him to have been a member of the German army, absent by special permssion.

He maintained an extensive correspondence while in this city, being in communications with other Germans in India, Portugal, Spain, Brazil and other foreign countries as well as in the United States.

While in New York, Korthaus roomed in an apartment overlooking the Hudson River. He possessed a powerful pair of field glasses with which he was in the habit of watching the extensive shipping which passes up and down the river. He was also the owner of several cameras and spent much of his time printing the pictures he had taken in his rooms.

The evidence collected by the government shows Korthaus tried to leave the United States for Germany as a Swiss porter upon a fraudulent passport. He frequently left his house in the early hours of the morning to mail letters. His activities continued until the day of his arrest.

AROUSED FEDERAL AGENTS.

The work of Korthaus which aroused the government began in New York February 11, 1917, although he had been in that city since October, 1914. He arrived in that month from Rio Janeiro with at least three other Germans, one of whom has since escaped to Germany on a fraudulent passport.

There is evidence to show that Korthaus was especially released from the German military service on Dec. 19, 1913, to go to Brazil with the purpose of remaining there only until it should be advisable for him to come to the United States without appearing to come direct from Germany.

POLICEMAN HURT IN FALL FROM CAR

Patrolman John V. Troy, thirty-three, of Prospect street, Charlestown, was injured today when he was thrown from the step of a subway car between Park street station and Scollay square. He was taken to the Haymarket Relief Station where it was found he had sustained a scalp wound and numerous bodily bruises.

Patrolman Troy, who is attached to the Athens street station, South Boston, was riding on the step of a crowded car when it swerved sharply around a curve. He lost his grip on the rail and fell to the ground.

REV. F. C. LAUDERBURN OF ST. STEPHEN'S RESIGNS

The Rev. Frederick C. Lauderburn, rector of St. Stephen's Episcopal Church, Florence street, has resigned. He is a member of the "Fellowship of Reconciliation," a pacifist organization.

QUOTED PASTOR IN OPPOSITION TO DRAFT

Waldron on Trial Again at Burlington, Vt., on Charge of Sedition

Burlington, Vt., March 12.—"I'd resist the draft as far as to be shot," Rev. Clarence H. Waldron, of Windsor, is declared to have said to Paul Brayton, a member of Rev. Mr. Waldron's bible class, who testified at the trial of his former minister on a charge of sedition today.

"When the draft comes, do not heed it. They will fool around with you for a year before they do anything," Rev. Mr. Waldron said, according to young Brayton. Brayton was the second witness who appeared for the State in the second trial of Vermont's most famous sedition case.

Following the impaneling of a jury which was completed shortly after court convened today, Harold Rees, 23 years old, of Windsor, Vt., a former member of Rev. Mr. Waldron's church and a pupil in the minister's Bible class, took the stand and testified as follows:

"Mr. Waldron told us many times that Christians should not fight. Waldron said that we'd have to register if called, but advised us not to go to war.

HOPED HE WOULDN'T GO.

"I registered when called and afterward enlisted in the Naval Reserve on June 20, 1917. Soon afterward I met Rev. and Mrs. Waldron on the street in Windsor, and he said to me, 'I'm sorry that you've enlisted and I hope you will not go.'

"Several nights later, at the Windsor Town Hall, Rev. Mr. Waldron handed me a pamphlet entitled 'The Word of the Cross,' which was published in Philadelphia and opposed the selective draft law."

In opening the state's case against the deposed minister under the Espionage [illegible] Attorney Vernon A. Bullard said:

"[illegible] on trial because he attempted to create disloyalty, and insubordination on the part of certain young American citizens. He is charged with attempting to prevent the working of, and with holding up, the selective draft law.

TWO FARMERS ON JURY.

The jury, which was completed today, included the following: W. S. Rublee, East Berkshire, farmer; J. H. Dolan, Burlington, salesman; F. S. Lanou, Burlington, contractor; R. B. Lamson, Burlington, clerk; H. H. Parker, Montgomery, storekeeper; F. C. Jackson, Swanton, machinist; Walter Hutchins, Alburg, farmer; Clayton B. Boyce, Montpelier, business man; A. L. Cheney, Morrisville, merchant; C. S. Howard, Fairfax, real estate agent, and E. C. Morgan, Burlington, business man.

At a former trial Waldron pleaded impecunious circumstances and was assigned counsel, but at this trial he has retained four of the leading attorneys of this section.

APPEALS JAIL TERM FOR CARRYING GUN

Harry A. Carlson, living at No. 130 West Neptune street, Lynn, was arraigned in the Chelsea Police Court today charged with carrying a loaded revolver without a permit and drunkenness.

Judge Cutler imposed a three-month sentence in the House of Correction for carrying a revolver and a five dollar fine for the drunkenness charge. Carlson appealed and was held in $300 bail.

$50,000 FIRE LOSS IN CONNECTICUT TOWN

Baltic, Ct., March 12.—Fire which early today threatened the business center of the town destroyed the Shannon building, a three-story frame structure, containing the dry goods and department store of Charles F. Charon, John H. Brown's bakery, the Baltic Pharmacy, Fontaine's barber shop and a large hall, offices and tenements and damaged surrounding property. The loss is estimated at $50,000.

BISHOP CALLS ON ALL FOR SERVICE

Lawrence in Sermon to Clergy Urges Greater Efforts in Aiding Nation

The Right Rev. William Lawrence, D. D., bishop of the Episcopal diocese of Massachusetts, urged the clergy of his diocese in a sermon at St. Paul's Cathedral today to give the "spare hour" to the country's service and to remember that many a business man works in his office all day and then does war work at evening.

The bishop emphasized the point that conditions are not material but spiritual. He called for a breaking away "from the encrustations of tradition and social relations" and for a mobilization of spiritual forces.

About 150 of the clergy of the Episcopal diocese were present, in response to an invitation issued last week by Bishop Lawrence to meet with him in the Cathedral for celebration of Holy Communion.

The Cathedral service preceded the luncheon given at the City Club to the Archbishop of York, which many of the clergy attended.

LEADERSHIP NEEDED.

Bishop Lawrence said in part:

"If there is anything that we need today it is leadership. We are to study as far as possible what will help us to make it of service in these times. As we look over the particular problems which are facing us today we cannot help but see the different angles from which we have to view them.

"We ought not to be speaking entirely about how we are to meet the enemies. It is for us leaders of the church, for us ministers, to arouse the people by education, by leading them to think that spiritual things are involved. All issues are spiritual. We have a great opportunity today of showing that conditions are not material, but spiritual.

"Of course, it is very difficult for us to keep our thoughts off the battlefield and we think that we cannot perform our duties unless we are in active service. But very few of us can go abroad in the active service of the army and navy. We are to give our attention to what we can undertake in our own special communities.

GIVE TIME TO COUNTRY.

"If we have a spare hour on our hands don't let us sit by and talk, but give that spare hour to the service of our country and give it daily. I understand that we have to have our moments of relaxation, but you must remember that there are business men right here in Boston who are working hard all the day, but who spend their evenings at home or at places where they are making surgical dressings.

"We are to break away from the encrustations of tradition and social relations and mobilize in this city with our spiritual forces. We must realize at this particular time that the country is fighting for its existence and not merely for democracy. We must keep this high ideal before us and press it constantly before our people.

"When that boy goes away from home into service or when our girls leave home to be scattered, we know not where, in the service of our country, we must be brave and meet these changes and support our spirits by constant diligence in some worthy work.

"We are not going to be mumblers in the care of the great duties which are pressing before us, but magnify our opportunities and be perfectly contented to do our full share of work in the special field before us.

GREATER BROTHERHOOD.

"I agree with the Archbishop of York when he said at Park Street Church that, when the men go home after the war, they want to find that not only a greater brotherhood exists among men, but that the common and plain people have extended to them privileges and opportunities not theirs before the war.

"Let us arouse the people to penitence, but do not let the people feel that you are using penitence in any technical sense, but so present penitence to them that they will gladly receive it."

HOOVER MEN MET PACKERS IN SECRET

By International News Service.

Washington, March 12.—Secret conferences between representatives of the food administration and the packers have played an important part in the present meat prices, according to information reaching live stock men, Edward F. Keefer, a Chicago live stock man, told the Senate Agriculture Committee otday.

He declared there is evidence which cannot be denied that the Chicago representative of the food administration, E. Dana Durand, has ordered the packers not to pay any higher prices for meat than now retail.

Livestock producers are suffering losses, Keefer said, because of the incompetency of the food administration officials. He declared that J. P. Cotton, a New York lawyer, and E. Dana Durand, a college professor, who have charge of the meat section of the food administration, are not familiar with conditions of production and have lost the confidence of the producers. He cited the fact that he understood that J. P. Cotton of the food administration was formerly the New York attorney for Wilson & Co., large packers.

Keefer said that in his opinion there is no justification for meatless day and that it has resulted in a reduction of 30 per cent in the demands for meat. This in turn, he said, had upset the market for good grades of meat, had caused low prices and discouraged the production.

The result, he said, will ultimately be a great shortage in meat, because producers will refuse to produce at a loss. He said that in his opinion the only remedy is a free market for meat stuffs. He presented a number of specific instances and quoted cost figures to show that the loss on cattle ranges from $40 to $50 a head.

Suffrage Victory Is Hope for State, Says Mrs. Park

By MAUD WOOD PARK,

Chairman Congressional Committee, National American Woman's Suffrage Association.

MASSACHUSETTS, unless all signs fail, will soon have an opportunity to take a leading place among the States which are to ratify the federal Amendment for Woman Suffrage.

That measure, which passed the House of Representatives in Congress on January 10, by a vote of 274 to 136, is now on the calendar of the Senate.

President Wilson, on the eve of the vote in the House, authorized the statement that he hoped the amendment would be adopted "as an act of right and justice to the women of the country and of the world." Hon. Champ Clark, Speaker of the House, let it be known that if he were needed to decide the question, he would vote in favor. The Secretary of the Treasury, the Secretary of War, the Secretary of the Navy, and the Secretary of Labor, all sent open letters in favor of the amendment to Mrs. Carrie Chapman Catt, president of the National American Woman Suffrage Association.

BOTH PARTIES ENDORSE MOVE.

Within the last fortnight, the Democratic and the Republican National Committees have endorsed the amendment, the one by more than a two-thirds vote and the other unanimously; and a few days ago Senator Gallinger, Republican leader of the Senate, made a strong speech in its behalf to that body.

In addition to the great political leaders, thousands of prominent men and women in all parts of the country have urged Congress to send the suffrage amendment on its way to the States. It therefore seems a foregone conclusion that the vote in the Senate will be favorable.

The amendment will have to be ratified by the legislatures of thirty-six States before it can become law. That is when Massachusetts will have opportunity to resume her old time leadership in movements that make for human freedom.

CHANCE FOR LEGISLATORS.

The members of the Massachusetts Legislature will then be able to show themselves worthy of the honorable traditions of the State, and alive to the real meaning of the world-wide war between autocracy and democracy in which our nation is now engaged.

And the women of Massachusetts must prove by active work that they, too, are worthy to have a part in the final victory of this great cause.

It was a Massachusetts woman, Abigail Adams, who in 1776 wrote to her husband, John Adams, then in the Continental Congress: "I long to hear you have declared an independency, and, by the way, in the new code of laws which I suppose it will be necessary for you to make I desire you will remember the ladies, and be more generous and favorable to them than your ancestors. . . . We will not hold ourselves bound to obey any laws in which we have no voice or representation."

PIONEER STATE.

Another Massachusetts woman, Lucy Stone, by a lifetime of devoted service made our State a pioneer in organization to secure equal rights for women.

We have much to be proud of in the past. But a glorious past is a hindrance rather than a help, when it blinds those who rejoice in it to the needs of the present.

Our forefathers and our foremothers seized the opportunities of their generation. Massachusetts has been a leader in many great reforms.

Help Massachusetts to lead again by an early ratification of the Woman Suffrage Amendment.

MRS. MAUD WOOD PARK

ARCHBISHOP OF YORK PRAISES IRISH VALOR

Stirs Faneuil Hall Audience by Tribute to Bravery of Erin's Regiments

The gallantry of Irish regiments in the world war was given highest praise today by the Most Rev. Cosmo Gordon Lang, Archbishop of York, in a noon address to a mass meeting in Faneuil Hall.

The great English churchman brought the audience to its feet in waves of applause as he dwelt on the gallantry of the Irish regiments, "which I cannot describe in words," he went on:

"It has led to a new era of feeling towards Ireland and to a hope that amounts almost to a passion that the great convention now sitting in Dublin will bring forth a United Ireland, with a new freedom of its own that will be proud to take its place in the contest for the freedom of the world."

TRIBUTE TO REDMONDS.

The Archbishop spoke of Lord Roberts, "who threw his Irish spirit into our first little army and, through it, into the great stream of men who followed in its footsteps."

He referred in touching manner to the death of Major William Redmond, brother of John E. Redmond, and to the profound impression it made upon the people of England. He called attention to the fact that Major Redmond was laid in his grave by Ulster troops.

He also referred to the late John E. Redmond as "one great Irish man who has also recently been called away."

Faneuil Hall was packed. Men and women stood on the main and balcony floors. Many were turned away. Among the audience were clergymen, marketmen in their butchers' frocks, clerks and stenographer girls.

Applause was frequent and loud. Many present, who had heard His Grace in preceding Boston addresses, expressed opinion that his Faneuil Hall words today were the most eloquent he has spoken here.

TEXT FROM LINCOLN.

The Archbishop confessed that his opportunity to speak in the "Cradle of Liberty" of America was one of the most moving and thrilling experiences of his life.

He was presented by Mayor Andrew J. Peters as one "whose broad sympathy with the people and their social conditions gave his utterances greatest weight." Bishop Lawrence, Major Henry L. Higginson and George C. Lee were among those on the platform.

The Archbishop took for his theme Lincoln's word that "The United States cannot long exist half-slave, half-free." He went on:

"The world cannot live one-half under the heel of a military autocracy and one-half under the institutions of free government. We had thought our free institutions were safe, but they were not. We have learned that they must be saved, that the world is not safe for democracy and that the pillars of the temple of freedom are not secure.

"The United States, with something of the insight of the prophets, has seen that the world is one and that America must fight for the great ideals that gave her birth. There is not room in the world for the spirit of Germany and the spirit of the free peoples.

"I cannot tell you what it means to us in the war-worn nations of the old world to realize that the spirit, ideals, resources, energy and determination of America are enlisted in the struggle not to stop until the end.

MESSAGE FOR KING.

"I did not quite realize it before I came here, but I will take back to our King and his ministers the heartening message."

His Grace then said with especial solemnity:

"It was high time that something came into the war to freshen us. If I were asked how our army and navy and our people were standing the war I would say, 'Steady but strained.'

"If we are to keep steady you must save the [illegible]."

The Archbishop pleaded that nothing be allowed to hamper the work of building ships for transportation of men and food so much needed.

The Archbishop called upon Governor McCall at the State House. He showed keen interest in the portrait of John Hancock, in the Bible left by Governor Benjamin F. Butler, and in the Hall of Flags. In the Hall of Flags he expressed admiration of "you Americans for the respect you pay to your battle flags."

Detective Edward P. Harrigan of the State police was escort to His Grace about the State House.

Only Five Words for Prelate's War Slogans

The Archbishop of York compressed two driving war slogans into five words in his Faneuil Hall address today, saying:

"I would suggest two mottoes, one for the war and one for after the war. The first is: 'Once for all!' The other: 'Never again!'"

DETROIT OFFICIALS CALL ON PETERS

A delegation of Detroit city officials today visited Mayor Peters. The committee represents the assessing, comptrollers and financial departments of the City of Detroit. They are visiting various cities in the New England States for the purpose of studying the methods of assessing, tax collections and other matters of municipal finances. Edward H. Daly, chairman of the Board of Assessors, together with City Treasurer Charles H. Slattery, entertained the delegation. The committee consisted of G. J. Albrecht, chairman; John Kohler, Jacob Brauman, Deputy City Treasurer; J. A. Martin, Deputy Comptroller; John Steffins of the Bureau of Research, and John J. Scott, Secretary of the Board of Assessors.

SUFFRAGISTS TO INCORPORATE AS PARTY

To Demand Probe of Pickets' Arrests and to Reveal Situation in Senate

By ELIZABETH ELLAM

When the present situation of the Senate relative to suffrage matters and the passage of the Federal amendment, as well as the future of ratification plans, is made clear by Mrs. Donald Armstrong, press chairman of the Massachusetts Branch of the National Woman's Party, [illegible] matters come to a direct question upon the suffrage mass meeting on Sunday afternoon, March 17, at which Mrs. Dudley Field Malone of New York will be the speaker.

Mrs. Armstrong is the wife of Dr. Armstrong, who was selected by a life insurance company in New York to make a model town health experiment in Framingham. Dr. and Mrs. Armstrong, with their two children, live in that town, and together work for the achievement of a "spotless town."

"In [illegible]," Mrs. Armstrong told [illegible] suffragists who called for the [illegible] of representatives of a suffrage [illegible] the National Woman's Party is to be incorporated at once, and articles of incorporation are now being drawn up.

WANT ARRESTS INVESTIGATED.

[illegible]

"At the Washington [illegible]," continued [illegible], "[illegible] suffrage friend [illegible] $15,000 [illegible] every picket arrested [illegible] to be used as a [illegible] and organizers [illegible] country [illegible] in [illegible] month.

"It [illegible] national chairman [illegible] means that we will [illegible] have [illegible]. The Democrats [illegible] amendment [illegible] the last Presidential election. But if [illegible] does not pass the Senate [illegible] break [illegible] in the beginning [illegible] House.

"If it does [illegible] we shall have no [illegible] but ratification campaigns [illegible] legislatures [illegible]. The fact that the Democratic [illegible] endorsed the amendment and that it went through the House [illegible] women [illegible] that they gave their support to the party in the recent New York elections. But the good record will be wiped out if the present obstruction and delay in the Senate continues.

NAVAL HONORS AT FUNERAL OF MEYER

Bluejackets Bear Body to St. Paul's Cathedral; State and Nation at Service

Representatives of state and nation, army and navy, and foreign countries, as well as [illegible] of the most illustrious families in this country, were present today at the funeral services of George von L. Meyer, former Secretary of the Navy.

The services were held at St. Paul's Cathedral, which was [illegible] at the [illegible] hundreds in the [illegible] outside.

The services were conducted by Bishop Lawrence and Dean Rousmaniere [illegible] Episcopal [illegible]. There were no eulogies. [illegible] in the Cathedral.

BORNE BY BLUEJACKETS.

The [illegible] casket [illegible] from [illegible] Navy Yard. It was preceded by Bishop Lawrence and Dean Rousmaniere, who led the way down the aisle in the chancel while [illegible].

Following the casket were the honorary pallbearers, headed by Senator Henry Cabot Lodge and President A. Lawrence Lowell of Harvard. The others were Francis L. Higginson, Rear Admiral Leigh C. Palmer, chief of the Bureau of Navigation, U. S. N.; [illegible], Ensign [illegible] and [illegible] Rear Admiral [illegible] with Rear Admiral Spencer S. Wood, commandant of the First Naval District, represented the Navy Department. Colonel Theodore Roosevelt was selected as an honorary pallbearer, but his physician would not allow him to make the journey.

COLORS ARE DIPPED.

The [illegible] draped casket was deposited in the chancel and the choir [illegible] colors of America [illegible] were dipped over the body of the dead statesman.

Mrs. George von L. Meyer, the widow, entered the church leaning on the arm of her son, Captain George von L. Meyer, U. S. R. They were followed by Lieutenant-Commander Hodges, U. S. N., and Mrs. Hodges, who was a Meyer before her marriage, and other [illegible] relatives.

During the service the choir sang "Peace, Perfect Peace," and when at the end the casket was borne down the aisle to the door they broke forth in "The Son of God Goes Forth to War."

An automobile cortege was formed and proceeded to Hamilton for the burial.

GOVERNOR AND MAYOR ATTEND.

Representatives of the Somerset, [illegible] and [illegible] Clubs were present, as was Governor McCall, Mayor Peters, Commandant William R. Rush of the navy yard, Italian Consul [illegible], attaches of the Italian Embassy, members of the Massachusetts House of Representatives, and the following well-known society people:

Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], Mr. and Mrs. Nathaniel [illegible], Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Tuckerman, Mr. and Mrs. Randolph Weld, Mrs. [illegible], Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] of New York, Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], Mr. and Mrs. [illegible] Amory and [illegible].

THIRTY-EIGHT MILLIONS IN JOHN D.'S INCOME TAX

By International News Service.

New York, March 12.—John D. Rockefeller's contribution to the U. S. treasury by way of the income tax [illegible] total about $38,000,000. [illegible] entire [illegible] collected [illegible] 1917 and the [illegible] just [illegible] of [illegible].

[illegible] C. [illegible] most [illegible] his [illegible].

[illegible] persons [illegible] about [illegible] four-[illegible] of the per-[illegible].

A [illegible] estimate of Rockefeller's [illegible] his holdings at $1,200,-[illegible] and his income at [illegible],000,000. [illegible] income is estimated at [illegible] income at [illegible]. The government requires [illegible] incomes of more than $2,000,-[illegible] per cent. [illegible] tax.

FOOTBALL MEN IN NAVY ACCUSE SALOON KEEPER

Providence, March 12.—[illegible] famous college football players [illegible] in the Federal District Court today at the hearing of the government's [illegible] against [illegible] Peterson, a Newport saloon keeper. The witnesses were Clinton R. Black, former captain of the Yale football team, and Chris Schlachter, former University of Syracuse gridiron star. Black and Schlachter are now naval reservists stationed at Newport. Peterson is charged with selling liquor to soldiers and sailors.

Black testified that he had bought liquor at Peterson's saloon while in uniform and said he had known of liquor being taken back to the naval reserve barracks in Newport.

WOMAN ROBBED NEAR POLICE HEADQUARTERS

Providence, March 12.—Miss Christiana, a Woonsocket singing teacher, iana Caya, a Woonsocket singing teacher, was attacked and robbed on Washington street while on her way to the Y. W. C. U. According to the police the woman had returned from New York and unable to get reservations at hotels and as the last train had left Woonsocket she started up Washington street for the Y. W. C. U. when attacked.

The police say they expect to arrest the highwayman. The attack took place within a hundred yards of police headquarters.

TO RUSH COTTON TO NEW ENGLAND PORTS

Washington, March 12.—Approximately 107,000 additional bales of cotton will be concentrated at South Atlantic ports to facilitate their shipment to New England ports.

Director-General McAdoo announces that C. H. Markham, regional director at Atlanta, has arranged for the concentration which will make a total of 250,000 bales now en route or at port. Special steamer service is being arranged for direct service to New England. The delayed cotton on cars in St. Louis and Chicago district is being moved to New England at the rate of fifty cars a day. About 500 cars already have been moved.

HIT BY TRAIN, CARRIED TWO MILES AND LIVES

Manchester, N. H., March 12.—Nestor Lemire, thirty-four, of No. 175 Boutwell street, after being struck by a locomotive, tossed in the air, and carried two miles on a cowcatcher, is recovering at the Sacred Heart Hospital.

Lemire was driving a horse hitched to a sleigh across the Boston & Maine tracks at Eaton Heights. A train struck the rig, killing the horse, wrecking the sleigh and throwing Lemire several feet into the air. He came down on the cowcatcher where he hung in an unconscious condition until the train reached East Manchester, according to the report of the accident.

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URGE BREAKING OF CONTRACT FOR GAS

Moriarty Wants Lamp Lighters' Pensions Saved to Them

Councilman Moriarty, in an order introduced in the Council, urged the termination of the ten-year contract of the city with the Boston Consolidated Gas Company.

Moriarty, who is a former president of the Central Labor Union, said that it was in the interest of the lamplighters who went on strike several months ago and have not been reinstated.

The lamplighters were formerly on the city payroll, and were then taken over by the sub-contractor of the gas company. Unless reinstated they will lose their rights to city pensions. Members of the council say that the termination of the contract is the only way in which the lamplighters' pension rights can be protected.

Services at St. Monica's

At the Lenten services to be conducted at St. Monica's Church, Dorchester street, South Boston, this evening, Rev. John F. Burns of the Gate of Heaven Church will deliver the sermon.

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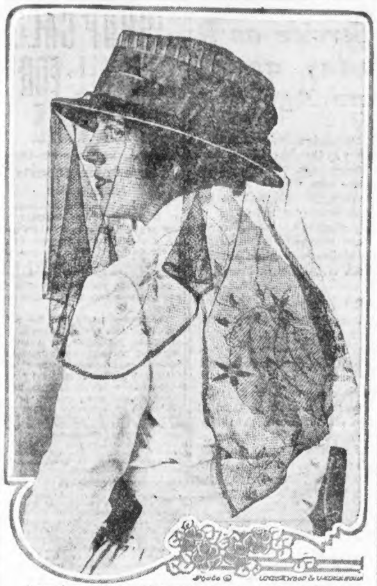

A novel veil, designed for patriotic young women, is shown here delicately fashioned in a prevailing Liberty Bell note, after which the veil is named. The subtle tracey of the bell is easily seen against a lacy foreground. With a chic military hat it is very effective.

Boston Is Allotted $33,000,000 of Certificates

By International News Service.

Washington, March 12.—Secretary McAdoo announced an issue of $500,000,000 Treasury certificates of indebtedness carrying 4½ per cent. interest. They are payable June 18, 1918. Subscriptions close March 28. Certificates will be in denominations of $500, $1,000, $5,000, $10,000 and $100,000.

The following allotments for which Federal Reserve Banks may accept subscriptions were announced:

Boston	$33,000,000
New York	172,000,000
Philadelphia	40,000,000
Cleveland	45,000,000
Richmond	18,000,000
Atlanta	15,000,000
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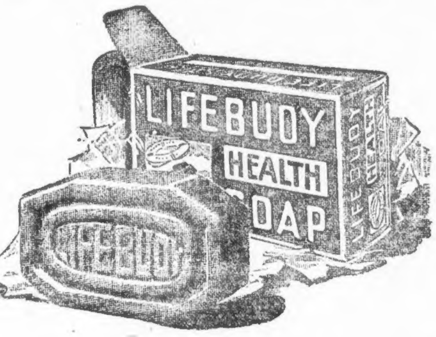

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The odor tells you why

The "health" odor in Lifebuoy is found in no other soap. It is not a perfume—not the odor of a medicine—but a pure, hygienic odor that tells you instantly why the soap benefits your skin. Stimulating, invigorating, refreshing! One whiff of Lifebuoy, and you realize why it cleanses so thoroughly—why it purifies and protects—why it improves your skin.

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KILLS SOMERVILLE MAN IN QUARREL OVER GIRL

Giovanna Cienzo, 31, living in the rear of No. 12 South street, Somerville, was shot and killed in a tobacco store at No. 9 South street, Somerville. The police said the man had quarreled over a North End girl.

The police searched for Antonio Di Perna, 22 years old, who was accused by them. The men met accidentally in the store conducted by Mrs. Rosa M. Macero. They had an argument over a girl, the police say. After an exchange of angry words, both men are alleged to have drawn revolvers and opened fire. Cienzo fell dead with four bullets in his head.

CONNECTICUT MAN ON LOST SHIP HALIFAX

All hope has been given up for the former Plant line steamer Halifax which was posted as missing by Lloyds of London. John G. Phelan of Wallingford, Ct., father of John T. Phelan, third officer of the ill-fated steamer, has been notified that she sailed from the Azores for a British port on December 16 and has not been heard of since. It is believed that the vessel fell a victim to either a U-boat or a German raider.

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Get a small bottle of Knowlton's Danderine from any drug store or toilet counter for a few cents, and after the first application your hair will take on that life, lustre, and luxuriance which is so beautiful. It will become wavy and fluffy and have the appearance of abundance, an incomparable gloss and softness; but what will please you most will be after just a few weeks' use, when you will actually see a lot of fine, downy hair—new hair—growing all over the scalp.

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HAPPENINGS IN BOSTON SOCIETY

Miss Frances Moor's Engagement to Lieutenant Marquisan Is Announced

By KATHARINE ALDEN.

An engagement of interest to Boston and the North Shore announced recently in Washington, D. C., by Mr. and Mrs. Ahael Wichfeld is that of Miss Frances Moore, daughter of the late Clarence Moore of Washington, D. C., to Lieutenant Henri Marquisan of the French Flying Corps. Lieutenant Marquisan is the son of Monsieur Henri Marquisan, de la Legion d'Honneur, and Marie Marquisan of Paris, France. Lieutenant Marquisan is now with the French Aviation Mission at Washington, D. C.

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Miss Moore has many friends in Boston and has been the guest of Miss Mae Slater at her home, No. 448 Beacon street. She spends her Summers at "Swiftmoor," Prides Crossing.

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Mrs. John Heard is spending the remainder of the season in Washington, D. C. Mrs. Heard's home, No. 439 Marlborough street, is occupied by her son and daughter-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. John Heard. Mrs. Heard was formerly Miss Elizabeth Silsbee, only daughter of Mrs. George S. Silsbee of No. 512 Beacon street.

Her marriage took place at the Silsbee summer home Sept. 3 at Dark Harbor, Maine. Mrs. Hunt is on duty Thursday at the Red Cross lunch and tea room on Boylston street.

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Philip Wrenn, who is engaged in war work at Washington, D. C., spends the week-ends at his home in Dedham. His older daughter, Miss Margaret Wrenn, is in Washington with her father most of the time.

Photo by HENRY HAVELOCK PIERCE

Mrs. John Heard, Jr., of No. 439 Marlborough street. Mrs. Heard was formerly Miss Elizabeth Silsbee of No. 512 Beacon street.

REV. A. W. P. WYLIE OFF TO SERVE AS CHAPLAIN

Rev. Arthur W. P. Wylie, senior curate at All Saints' Episcopal Church, Ashmont, has left for Camp Dix, N. J., to become chaplain of Base Hospital 44 of the Massachusetts Homeopathic Hospital Unit. He was accompanied by other members of the unit. All expect soon to be in France. Rev. Mr. Wylie has served at the Dorchester parish for the past five years. He was graduated from Dartmouth College and the Nashotah Theological Seminary, Wisconsin. He took an active part in organizing the Boy Scout movement in his district.

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To Speak On Education

Dr. Payson Smith, State Commissioner of Education, speaks on "Democracy and Education" before members of the Newton Highlands Woman's Club today.

OLD NORTH CHIMES TO RING U. S. VICTORIES

American victories in France are to be proclaimed on the chimes of the Old North Church on Salem street by Charles H. Jewett, who rang out the naval victories of Dewey and Schley during the Spanish-American war.

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FITZGERALD BACK, PRAISES WAR CAMPS

Back from a tour of the South, former Mayor John F. Fitzgerald held a reception in Washington street, surrounded by a group of friends.

Mr. Fitzgerald was accompanied on his Southern trip by Joseph Conway, president of the Horace Partridge Company, Boston.

Mr. Fitzgerald spoke enthusiastically over conditions obtaining at most of the southern camps he visited. He was particularly pleased, he said, with the conditions at Miami, at Camp Daniels and at Jacksonville, where the quartermasters are being trained.

"I spent an entire day at Jacksonville, where thousands of boys from New England are being trained," said Mr. Fitzgerald. "They all seemed to be overjoyed to meet one from New England. I never saw a more happy throng than these when I entered the different schools where the classes were going on."

Prohibition Talk Stirs Worcester Audience

Worcester, March 12—A gathering that assembled in Horticultural Hall to hear a lecture on prohibition by Thomas McNamara of Lowell broke up in a [illegible].

It was evident that many of the audience disagreed with McNamara on his problem, and when Miss Catherine Haggerty, a Worcester suffragist, attempted to quell the riot she, too, was hissed.

A police call was sent in and when the meeting had quieted down McNamara requested all those who did not wish to hear the remainder of the talk to leave the hall.

MRS. DE SAULLES WINS FIGHT FOR SON

New York, March 12—Mrs. Blanca Errazuriz De Saulles, the Chilean heiress, who was acquitted in December of the murder of her husband, John Longer De Saulles, whom she shot at his country house in Westbury, L. I., last Summer, has been given legal possession of her little son, John Longer De Saulles, by Surrogate Fowler.

It was because her husband denied her the right to see the boy that she shot him.

The decision handed down by Surrogate Fowler disposes of a legal contest between the mother and relatives of the boy's father.

A trust company was made guardian of the boy's property. Prior to the shooting Mrs. De Saulles by the terms of a divorce decree was allowed custody of her son seven months in a year.

Little "Jack" is now with his mother in California.

Released from Draft.

[illegible], March 12—Philip G. [illegible], No. 24 Atlantic avenue, has been released from the draft by the exemption board to enter an army [illegible] school at Pittsburgh.

In the Morning

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THEATRES

ODD REVIEW TUNEFUL AND BRIGHT

By FRED J. McISAAC

"Odds and Ends of 1917," a summer musical review, by Bide Dudley, Jack Norworth and James A. Byrnes, has settled itself for a run at the Majestic Theatre.

It is one of those theatrical entertainments which point with pride to the fact that it has no end or beginning, no plot or suggestion of one, no purpose and no moral.

The charming part of it is due to the habit of Mr. Norworth, who is what the French call the compere, or godfather, of the show, to talk confidentially about the show to the audience, give them "inside stuff," as it were.

A VARIETY OF TUNES.

Aside from this intimacy, which is a modern wrinkle, "Odds and Ends" is nothing but a series of variety turns more or less clever, glorified by garlands of girls in gorgeous array (a nice bit of alliteration for the press agent to gobble).

And there is nothing new under the sun, this entertainment resembling the Follies of a decade ago before they grew high-toned, went in for Urban scenery and Art with a capital A.

The resemblance is heightened by a burlesque prize fight which is the funniest thing since the celebrated fight in the Follies of [illegible]. Was it 1909? I never could remember dates.

Harry Watson, Jr., in this show is a broken down pug who is meeting all comers, when he knows it's safe. His manager invites members of the audience to step on the stage and go three rounds with him and capture a [illegible]. The unknown whales the daylight out of Watson in a fight which is a classic.

WATSON IS FUNNY.

Watson, of the old firm of Bickel and Watson, is one of the high lights of "Odds and Ends." His specialties are all funny except the one with the burlesque army, which is so old it has long grey whiskers.

Lillian Lorraine was suffering with a severe cold which spoiled several of her earlier songs but the hoarseness wore off during the evening and all her numbers went big. Miss Lorraine is not only picturesque but [illegible] and her sense of humor is not dormant.

There is a French sketch entitled "Somewhere with Pershing" in which Norworth plays very cleverly a love-sick doughboy who meets a pretty French maid. He puts several new songs over in fine style and has one or two good scenes with Miss Lorraine but Norworth was cast by nature to play a leading man in [illegible], rather than comedy roles in a musical show.

SONGS SURE WINNERS.

Among the other people to make a good impression last night were Maxine Brown, Joseph Herbert, Jr., Jack Cooper, Hattie Parker and Jay Dillon.

There are several songs that are sure to win. Among them is a slippery alliterative affair entitled "Swim, Sam, Swim," another novelty song "Since Hector was a Pup," and "The Further it Is from Tipperary." There is a very pretty chorus, attractive costumes and lots of speed.

BOSTON THEATRE.—The public thirst for thrills was satisfied at the Boston Theatre yesterday by a stirring picture offering, "Lest We Forget," featuring Rita Jolivet. The theme of the drama has its conception in the tragic sinking of the Lusitania. The picture with a wealth of good vaudeville material furnished an excellent entertainment. "The Human Side" of the great war has probably never been brought closer to the public than through this photo-production. [illegible] with her [illegible] dance numbers assisted by M. T. Marini topped the vaudeville bill with her offering "Dance Jingles."

LANCASTER THEATRE—The all-photoplay bill offered at the Lancaster Theatre yesterday included the William Fox production, "The Moral Law," picturing Gladys Brockwell in a dual role. It is a story of two sisters of widely divergent characters, one rich, who tries to reform the other whom she has never seen. It is a vivid melodramatic study. On the same bill was shown "His Royal Highness," picturing Carlyle Blackwell in adventures in one of the small European kingdoms where he masquerades as king.

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MRS. FISKE'S ART REVEALED IN 'SERVICE'

By FREDERICK JOHNS

Mrs. Fiske gave another evidence of her versatility at the Tremont Theatre last night in "Service," a two-act play by Henri Lavedan, of the Academie Francaise, the English version being by William C. Taylor.

It was preceded by "A Night at an Inn," a play in one act by Lord Dunsany, whose works are meeting with much popularity in America.

Mrs. Fiske's latest offering is diametrically opposed to the role in which she has been appearing. Instead of the naughty, cigar smoking Mme. Sand, in "Service" she portrays a loving pacifist mother who is in eternal conflict with a military husband whose whole life is devoted to the army. Hence the title.

As Madame Eulin, wife of Colonel Eulin and mother of three young officers and one daughter, a Red Cross nurse, Mrs. Fiske is given an opportunity for some really strong acting. Her favorite son is the youngest, Lieutenant Pierre Eulin, played by Georges Flateau. Because he inherits some of his mother's hatred of war, he is disliked by his father, the colonel, whose abrupt, militaristic character was admirably set forth by Lee Baker.

These three, father, mother and son, hold the centre of the stage practically throughout the entire performance. Georges Flateau as Pierre, a pacifist at heart but a French officer by his father's wishes, was particularly strong. Although he had several dramatic moments he never overplayed and despite a slight contretemps with his sword—which was entirely unexpected—he was never outside the part.

Mrs. Fiske made an extremely human mother who was more interested in her son's letter than in her husband's plans.

She had little opportunity for emotional acting until the end of the play, when having learned of the death of her second son, she changed her mental attitude and bade Pierre go and fight for his country.

Other members of the cast, who handled small parts with great skill, were Roger Lytton as General Giraid, Ian Robertson as the Minister of War and Alexa Flor as Pauline the maid.

"A Night at an Inn" is a weird creation with an entirely male cast. This consists of Frank Goldsmith as A. E. Scott-Fortescue, (the Toff), a dilapidated gentleman; Tracy Barrow, Robert Vivian and Gerald Pring as merchant sailors; Charles Peyton, Owen Meech and Rikel Kent as Priests of Klesh; and Rene de la Chapelle as Klesh, the insatiable god. When Klesh tramped slowly and deliberately around the darkened inn room, while the sailors crouched on the floor, and later when the sailors were drawn out of the inn by some invisible power, a sustained sense of mystery held the auditors spellbound.

WALDRON'S CASINO—Jean Bedini's Parisian Novelty Show will be the attraction at Waldron's Casino for the week.

In offering his show this season Mr. Bedini is giving the lovers of wholesome burlesque the kind of a show that is bound to meet with their approval.

The entire production has been handsomely equipped and costumed, and from a scenic point of view vies with nothing thus far seen at the Casino.

The burlettas, written by Jean Bedini himself, are brimful of good, clean-cut comedy, intermingled with bright and catchy musical numbers, clever bits and novelty vaudeville specialties.

The cast is made up of a number of well-known vaudeville and burlesque artists and include such capable artists as Clark and McCullough, tramp comedians; Bob Harmon, eccentric comedian; Bob Murphy, straight; George Brooks, characters; Jean Bedini himself; Helen Lorayne, prima donna; May Myers, ingenue; Marie Sabbott, soubrette, and a chorus of twenty beautiful girls.

GLOBE THEATRE—With the story of Russia quickening the public mind so continuously now, a photoplay dealing intimately with the events which precipitated the present debacle overwhelming the Slav country merits great appeal. And in the first Boston showings of "The Fall of the Romanoffs," given yesterday at the Globe Theatre, the two big houses attested that the appeal is fully as great as expected.

There is a strong impression of truth in the photoplay. Among the pictured persons of the drama Iliodor, one of the moving figures of the Russian court through his close association with Rasputin, confessor and confidant of the treacherous monk, is played by himself.

The producers acknowledge their indebtedness to Iliodor for the facts of the drama's story as well as the truthfulness of the settings. And there should be none better fitted to act as authority in these matters. Thus there is great strength in the truth of the picture.

ST. JAMES THEATRE—There were two headliners of the vaudeville bill at Loew's St. James Theatre yesterday. The Hazel Kirke Quintet offered a combination of singing, dancing and comedy chatter that was far better than ordinary, and presented with their own novel scenery. It was an enjoyable act. The other leading act was Maude Durand and company in a one-act comedy, "Their Creeds." Other acts were O'Connor and Dixon in their laughable skit, "Hired and Fired"; Ward and Cullen in "Song Storiettes"; Harrah and Jacqueline in a dancing and whirling act on skates. On the screen there were shown the latest News Pictorial, a comedy, and the photoplay, "The Family Skeleton," picturing Charles Ray as a young man coming into a large inheritance who successfully fights the threatening heritage of a tendency toward drink. The entire bill changes on Thursday.

Fund for French Wounded

Recent contributions to the American Fund for French Wounded have raised it to a total of $225,499.68, it was announced today by Kidder, Peabody & Company, treasurers. Additional contributions of $100 each have been received from Miss Susan Upham, Mr. and Mrs. H. G. Curtis, Miss Laura Wick and Mrs. Charles G. Weld.

Condensed Criticisms

By the DRAMATIC EDITOR

Colonial Theatre—"The Rainbow Girl," K. & E.'s most recent musical production, is as bright a piece as we have seen this season, and its popularity is remarkable.

Shubert Theatre—"The Very Idea" as merry a farce as has visited Boston for quite a while, with such able people as Ernest Truex and Richard Bennett in the cast.

Plymouth Theatre—"The Man Who Came Back," thirteenth week in Boston of this stirring and fascinating melodrama.

Park Square Theatre—Last week of "Potash and Perlmutter in Society," the cheerful comedy of East Side New York.

Hollis Street Theatre—George Arliss in "Hamilton," a comedy based upon actual episodes in the life of one of our greatest statesmen.

Wilbur Theatre—William Gillette in Clare Kummer's brilliant comedy, "A Successful Calamity."

KELLERMANNIS CLEVER AT KEITH'S

Annette Kellermann dances, sings, skips along the tight wire, does diving, disports under water, and, in addition to these, holds a merry little chat with her audience at Keith's Theatre, where she heads the week's bill.

The Kellermann act is elaborate. The famous water nymph is assisted by Edmund Makalif, the dancer; by Oliver Reese and Maude Drury, in songs, and by a squad of cute little "Kellermann Girls."

The star's turns are sandwiched in between acts of her assisting troupe. Miss Kellermann opens her own part of the bill with toe-dancing, followed by a Peacock Dance and then by the tight-wire act. In introducing the wire turn Miss Kellermann merrily explains that she does it chiefly to prove that she can because two women who saw her walking a wire in the "movies" insisted that the wire figure was a dummy.

Miss Kellermann complains whimsically about being billed as "the perfect woman," when she modestly avers that she falls far short of that fact.

In a battleship scene Miss Kellermann does a hornpipe with abandon, then puts her "Kellermann Girls" through an amusing drill.

The finale shows Kellerman in splendid dives. The diving star gains repeated applause for all her acts, with the aquatic ones the favorites as usual.

Mr. Makalif, Mr. Reese and Miss Drury add to the star's act with their singing and dancing. The "Kellermann Girls" please the eye. There is a patriotic note in the battleship scene. Enid Knapp and Anita Veyre make a cute pair of sentries of the mechanical doll variety, with a neat little drill of their own that goes well.

The rest of the bill includes the Hearst-Pathe News Pictures, an amusing "movie" of James Montgomery Flagg, the artist, and Peggy Hopkins; novelty acrobats by the "Black and White" pair; Emba and Alton in a high-class musical turn; Bert Melrose, the chap who tips farther and farther back on a pile of tables, and finally crashes down; Olive Briscoe in clever song and chatter; Lieutenant B. C. Hilliam in Canadian military songs; Ray Fern and Marion Davis in an amusing revue and Mme. M. Cronin's electrical novelty, with Mlle. Juliette in toe dancing.

PARK SQUARE THEATRE—The seat sale begins today for the engagement of "Cheating Cheaters," which opens at the Park Square Theatre next Monday evening. This attraction has been eagerly expected and has enjoyed long engagements in New York and Chicago, from whence it comes directly here. Written by Max Marcin and produced by the energetic A. H. Woods, this may be called the paragon of all stage productions dealing with crooks.

'PHILANDERER' BY SHAW WELL PRESENTED

"The Philanderer," a Shaw comedy in four acts, was presented by the Henry Jewett Players last evening at the Copley Theatre. The cast included Ernita Lascelles as Julia Craven, Leonard Craske as Charteris, Leon Gordon as Dr. Paramore, Beatrice Miller as Sylvia Craven, Jessamine Newcombe, Frederick Annerly, H. Conway Wingfield and Ann Reming.

"The Philanderer" is one of the group of "Unpleasant Plays" and is well characterized, although it contains delightful lines, and perhaps Shaw's best epigram:

"The fickleness of women I love is only equalled by the infernal constancy of the women who love me."

The unpleasant qualities of the characterization are less salient in the play as acted than as merely read. It is, in fact the least unpleasant of the three, its companions being "Widowers' Houses" and "Mrs. Warren's Profession."

Miss Lascelles gave a vivid and brilliant impersonation of Julia, the woman of all animal charm and not much brain. Mr. Craske followed carefully the stage directions of Shaw which prescribe a beard for the philandering Charteris.

He would be more effective and plausible as a fascinator of feminine hearts without the hirsute adornment. Miss Miller and Mr. Gordon played their roles in delightful comedy vein, striking the true Shavian note.

There was a large and highly appreciative audience.

PARK THEATRE—Manager Thomas D. Soriero of the Park Theatre offers a pleasing bill for his patrons this week, with Francis X. Bushman heading the program. The picture, "The Brass Check," in six acts, has drawn large crowds, and everyone that has seen it declares it is his best production. Mr. Bushman plays the son of a rubber king who, through finding a brass check, meets the girl of his choice.

The story is a romantic and pleasing one and appeals to everybody. The other feature of the program is Peggy Hyland in the famous play, taken from the story of the same name, "Persuasive Peggy," a Mayfair production in six acts. It is a sweetly told story of how a young wife trained her husband into taking her advice and working in co-operation with her.

The Metro Travelogue shows some interesting views of America and the Pathe Weekly reveals some timely subjects.

GAYETY THEATRE—"Snuffy" Dave Marion, the same "Snuffy" who has for more than twenty-five years attracted burlesque audiences, drove the same old sea-going hack that has made his act famous for years onto the stage at the Gayety Theatre last night, and to say that the applause that greeted him was any less enthusiastic than has been his share for years back would be doing a gross injustice to Dave.

It is largely the same clever act, with the same clever accompaniments. His personality is one of the assets of the show as a laugh getter.

He has a new company—the same company that will play with him all week. S. H. Dudley, a colored comedian, gave something new in burlesque. Also in the big company received favorably was Agnes Behler (Mrs. Marion), who wore startling gowns.

MODERN AND BEACON THEATRES—In a characterizations in which her admirers love to view her, Mary Pickford was shown for the first times in Boston yesterday pictured as a little slavey in the photoplay, "Amarilly of Clothes Line Alley." This time it is a scrub girl of the theatre.

She lives with her mother in the alley, and at her door romance comes when a young man is attacked by toughs and whom she takes in and nurses. She is introduced by him into his parents' household, and there she lives for a few days. The disdain of the rich for the poor strips the rich gloss from their lives in her estimation and she returns to her own home and to the poor young man who really loves her. It is a photoplay made charming with the gifts and personality of Miss Pickford.

BILL OF MERIT PLEASES AT ORPHEUM

"When We Grow Up," a pretentious vaudeville offering, played by a company headed by Eddie Tanner, led the bill at Loew's Orpheum Theatre yesterday. It is a most enjoyable offering and a fit topliner.

The surrounding bill included the Hal Langdon Trio of singers and comedians; Dunbar and Turner in eccentric comicalities; Maria, a dainty and gifted accordioniste; Kalma & Co., in their illusion novelty, "Kanning the Kaiser;" Georgallis Trio in a marvelous sharpshooting exhibition.

On the screen there were shown the latest news pictorial, a comedy and the photoplay, "The House of Glass," picturing Clara Kimball Young as the wife of a railroad magnate whose previous record of conviction and prison term for a crime which, through maladministration of justice, she had suffered, is revealed to him.

She makes a valiant fight to preserve her changed identity with which she lived down the stain of her experience, but the dovetailed chain of circumstances that beset her foils her efforts.

The climax is a telling one, and its effect is felt in the mind of the spectator, who is bound to resent the methods of our jurisprudence that so easily allows a person to be unjustly convicted.

CASTLE SQUARE THEATRE—The program at the Castle Square yesterday was a combination of melodrama, comedy, dancing and music that is certain to please all movie patrons. Long one of the most popular actors on the regular stage, William S. Hart is now no less popular on the screen, and he appears in his latest success, "Blue Blazes Rawden."

TREMONT TEMPLE—Only two more lectures remain of Dr. Griggs' course on "Dramas of Protest." This Saturday morning at eleven, the subject selected is Galsworthy's "Justice" or "The Making of Criminals."

Mr. Griggs emphasizes the fact that the prison system the world over is of little value in the minds of many people, insofar as its possibilities of reforming offenders against society is concerned and an intensely interesting hour is assured to all who are interested in this great subject.

HOLD UP 8-HOUR LAW FOR PAPER WORKERS

Senate Republicans Put Bill Over Until Next Session of Legislature

The Republican Party in the Legislature has again killed the eight-hour bill for workers in the paper mills.

This time "the war" is the excuse used by the G. O. P. members of the State Senate for violating a promise which their party made to the people three years ago.

When Governor McCall was first elected, the Republican platform promised "reasonable hours for the persons employed in continuous industries." That promise has been repudiated by the Republican Party in the Sena'e for three successive years.

The bill was this year passed by the House with such a large majority that its opponents were unable to obtain a roll call.

When it went over to the upper branch, Senator George A. Hastings of Adams, a Republican, moved that it be referred to the next General Court. He said that "there are several big mills in my district which would be put out of business by this eight-hour day."

Senator Edward G. Morris of South Boston, a Democrat, reminded him that 92 per cent. of the mills have voluntarily established the eight-hour day.

Senator Ernest E. Hobson of Palmer, another Republican, said that because of the war the paper mills are unable to secure a full crew of help.

"It isn't because of the war," said Senator Morris. "It is because the workmen can get the eight-hour day in other fields of labor."

Senator George B. Churchill of Amherst, still another Republican, said he was "sympathetically inclined" toward labor in most cases but not in this

Senator Edward F. McLaughlin of Boston and Senator Daniel J. Buckley of Holyoke pleaded with the Senate not to whisper the bill to death. They both asked for a roll call.

The bill was then referred to the next General Court by a vote of 16 to 9.

All the Democratic Senators, with the exception of Senator William E. Russell of Cambridge, who has voted for little or none of the progressive legislation advocated by his party, voted for the bill. Senators John E. Beck of Chelsea, Charles D. Brown of Gloucester, James F. Cavanagh of Everett, Silas D. Reed of Taunton, James R. Tetler of Lawrence and John Halliwell of New Bedford were the Republicans who joined with the Democratic minority in support of the eight-hour day.

SAYS TOMORROW WILL BE FAIR AND COLDER

Today's lowering skies portend rain, according to Weather Forecaster Smith, with fair and colder weather tomorrow.

The forecast today was: "Unsettled tonight; probably local rains and warmer. Wednesday, fair and somewhat colder. Strong south to west winds."

It is generally fair throughout the country, with freezing weather on the Canadian border. The lowest temperature in New England today was ten above at Greenville, Me., and the highest thirty-six at Nantucket.

German Seamen's Home Seized

Hoboken, N. J., March 12.—The federal government has taken possession of the German Seamen's Home, which overlooks the Hudson River and many piers.

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DEMAND FEDERAL INQUIRY INTO LOBBYING

Providence, March 12.—The "joker" resolution which resulted in the General Assembly naming the special commission over a year ago to investigate the Rhode Island Company, which control the entire street railway system in the State and resulted in a fare-grant by the grace of the Utilities Commission which was undone by the House of Representatives, was the product of a firm of local attorneys representing the railway company, say legislators who favor State ownership.

The same legislators say they have asked the Washington authorities to investigate the defiant lobbying in the interest of the street railway company.

It is learned the original resolution was drawn by the local attorneys in the interest of the Rhode Island Company and handed to the majority leaders for presentation. It was argued at the time the company could not operate unless immediate relief was forthcoming. Legislators on both sides say they were "gulled" as the wording of the resolution gave the special commission authority which was not discernible at a glance.

Since the House rebuked the Utilities Commission by their vote frantic efforts are being made to relegate the action of the House to a "grave-yard committee" when theb ill comes before the Senate for ratification.

Advocates of State ownership say the issue will be a part of the political platform at the coming election.

Political bosses openly state the Utilities Commission "will not" rescind their order allowing the company to increase their fares which will result in approximately one-million added revenue, according to Senator William G. Troy.

SILVER THIMBLE FUND CLUB IS CONTINUED

Owing to the brisk sales during the past few days, a two-day continuation has been granted the Red Cross Silver Thimble Fund at No. 116 Boylston street. Gold and silver articles are on sale for the benefit of the fund, the sale to remain open till 5 p. m. tomorrow. Miss Lillian Gay is chairman of the committee in charge.

Many new gifts have been received recently and these are now listed at attractive prices. A substantial sum has been realized on the silver dish contributed by Mrs. Eben D. Jordan.

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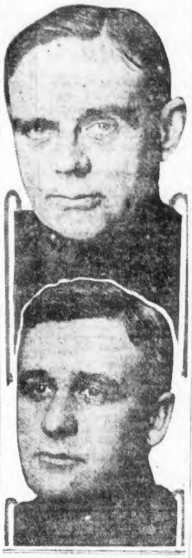
COL. C. B. HATCH (at top), in charge of Marine Corps recruiting, who says Boston furnishes a fine type of young man; and Capt. H. C. Daniels, in command of the Tremont row recruiting station.



MARINE CORPS READY FOR DRIVE

Colonel Hatch Eager to Enlist Men for 20,000 Quota

Colonel C. B. Hatch, in charge of the marine corps recruiting for the Eastern district, is preparing for the drive for more enlistments as soon as Congress passes the bill to increase the fighting force of the marine corps.

Nothing will be done until Congress has passed the naval appropriation bill which includes increasing the marine corps from 30,000 to 50,000.

But everything is ready for the drive just as soon as Congress acts.

Colonel Hatch was in conference with Captain H. C. Daniels of the marine corps recruiting station on Tremont row about plans and methods to be followed in the new recruiting roster for the marine corps.

"We're ready just as soon we hear them say, Go ahead," remarked Colonel Hatch.

"Everything in this office is on the spring. We have hundreds of men waiting at the different recruiting stations waiting for this word.

"Boston has already furnished us with a fine type of young men. Boston is always on the job when we want anything for the service of the country.

"Then I want to thank the Hearst newspapers for their past co-operation.

"They have been always responsive.

"We couldn't do without this help.

"I cannot tell exactly when we'll begin enlisting for the new 20,000 men. It all depends upon Congress.

"We may have to wait for some time, but we may get the machinery working in a few days."

Captain Daniels has all his working force at the station ready to begin work on applicants.

Dr. W. Randolph Angell, examining surgeon, is ready for the new drive also. "We've been getting a fine lot of men lately, but we want more, and we know more are coming," he said.

GROWS STOUT IN THE AVIATION SERVICE

Fitchburg, March 12.—Francis Dubois, formerly a commercial photographer, has been out of town since December. When he returned on a furlough from Garden City, L. I., his friends had to look twice to make certain of his identity. Since he joined the aviation section of the Signal Corps he gained twenty pounds and otherwise changed. He expects to take photographs from aeroplanes in France.

LAD "JABS THE KAISER," BUT LOSES AN EYE

Springfield, March 12.—While venting his hatred on a magazine picture of the Kaiser in a spirit of revenge for outrages in Poland, Andrew Lelinsky, the young son of Frank Lelinsky of Erving in Franklin County, lost an eye yesterday. Urged to fury against Wilhelm by conversation of his parents and friends, Andrew was jabbing the picture with a jackknife when the blade slipped and pierced the eye.

LAY PEN THEFT TO GANG OF DRUG USERS

Providence, March 12.—The theft of $500 worth of fountain pens from a Westminster street store by robbers who entered the store by breaking a glass in a rear door is believed by the police to be the work of local drug users.

Inspectors say they are following clues which they expect will solve the mystery.

SECOND WAGE INCREASE FOR MILFORD WORKERS

Milford, March 12.—Employes of William Lapworth & Sons, elastic web manufacturers, have received notice of a voluntary increase in wages effective Thursday, the firm having recently given its workers a 5 per cent raise in wages. The plant employes number about one hundred and fifty, most of them being young women.

Old Fashioned Family of Ten Children All Keep Well and Strong With Father John's Medicine

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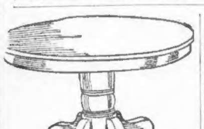
Library Suites Exactly like above illustration, imitation mahogany frame, beautifully finished, and upholstered in a fine grade of tapestry or in genuine Spanish leather. One of the best values we are offering. Reg. price $74. Our Clearance Sale Price *54.75*

Just Glance at These Items

$28.00 Brass Beds, velvet finish	*15.95*
$32.00 Brass Beds, velvet finish	*22.75*
$12.00 White Iron Beds	*8.95*
$8.00 White Iron Beds	*6.45*
$14.00 Dressers, golden oak	*9.85*
$35.00 Dressers, oak or imitation mahogany	*24.75*
$9.50 Chiffoniers, golden oak, wood back	*5.95*
$36.00 Chiffoniers, mahogany	*26.75*
$32.00 Chiffoniers, golden oak	*22.75*
$36.00 China Cabinets, mahogany	*26.75*
$22.00 Serving Tables, mahogany	*16.45*
$36.00 China Cabinets, mahogany	*24.75*
$19.00 China Cabinets, golden oak	*15.45*
$26.00 China Cabinets, golden oak	*19.85*
$39.00 Buffets, golden oak	*29.85*
$219.00 Dining Set, 10 pieces, fumed and golden oak	*182.50*
$10.00 Combination Mattresses	*7.95*
$19.00 Felt Mattresses	*13.95*
$6.00 Iron National Spring	*4.65*
$4.00 Feather Pillows, 20 in., per pair	*3.10*

Dressers

Exactly like illustration, golden oak, divided top drawers, French plate mirror. Regular price $17.00. Our Clearance Sale Price *10.95*



Dining Tables

Like illustration; golden oak, 42-inch top; 6-foot extension; 8-inch pedestal base. Reg. price $18.00. Our Clearance Sale Price *12.95*

Rugs, Draperies & China

$60 Wilton Rugs, 9x12	*51.75*
$45 Body Brussels, 8.3x10.6	*35.75*
$43 Axminster Rugs, 9x12	*33.75*
$37.50 Axminster Rugs, 8.3x10.6	*29.75*
$31.50 Seamless Tapestry, 9x12	*24.25*
$28.50 Seamless Tapestry, 8.3x10.6	*21.75*
$8.00 Plain Grass Rugs, 8x10	*5.95*
$15 Fibre Rugs, 9x12	*11.75*
$12.00 Portieres, greens and browns	*9.85*
$8.00 Portieres, green only	*6.25*
$3.50 Couch Covers, 60 inches wide	*2.45*
$7.50 Couch Covers, 60 inches wide	*5.75*
$3.25 Scotch Lace Curtains, 3 yards long	*2.25*
$7.50 Brussels Curtains	*5.45*
$2.50 Marquisette Curtains, Dutch style	*1.89*
$1.59 Scrim Curtains	*1.19*
$22.00 Dinner Sets, 100 pieces	*15.95*
$10.00 Dinner Sets, 44 pieces	*6.75*
$12.00 Tea Sets, 56 pieces	*8.45*
$7.50 Electric or Gas Lamps	*4.45*

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Why Chilly Weather Brings Rheumatism

Says skin pores are closed and uric acid remains in blood.

Rheumatism is no respector of age, sex, color or rank. If not the most dangerous of human afflictions, it is one of the most painful. Those subject to rheumatism should eat less meat, dress as warmly as possible, avoid any undue exposure and, above all, drink lots of pure water.

Rheumatism is caused by uric acid which is generated in the bowels and absorbed into the blood. It is the function of the kidneys to filter this acid from the blood and cast it out in the urine; the pores of the skin are also a means of freeing the blood of this impurity. In damp and chilly, cold weather the skin pores are closed, thus forcing the kidneys to do double work, they become weak and sluggish and fail to eliminate this uric acid which keeps accumulating and circulating through the system, eventually settling in the joints and muscles, causing stiffness, soreness and pain called rheumatism.

At the first twinge of rheumatism get from any pharmacy about four ounces of Jad Salts, put a tablespoonful in a glass of water and drink before breakfast each morning for a week. This is said to eliminate uric acid by stimulating the kidneys to normal action, thus ridding the blood of these impurities.

Jad Salts is inexpensive, harmless and is made from the acid of grapes and lemon juice, combined with lithia and is used with excellent results by thousands of folks who are subject to rheumatism. Here you have a pleasant, effervescent lithia-water drink which overcomes uric acid and is beneficial to your kidneys as well.—Advertisement.

Hair Often Ruined By Washing With Soap

Soap should be used very carefully, if you want to keep your hair looking its best. Most soaps and prepared shampoos contain too much alkali. This dries the scalp, makes the hair brittle, and ruins it.

The best thing for steady use is just ordinary mulsified cocoanut oil (which is pure and greaseless), and is better than the most expensive soap or anything else you can use.

One or two teaspoonfuls will cleanse the hair and scalp thoroughly. Simply moisten the hair with water and rub it in. It makes an abundance of rich, creamy lather, which rinses out easily, removing every particle of dust, dirt, dandruff and excessive oil. The hair dries quickly and evenly, and it leaves the scalp soft, and the hair fine and silky, bright, lustrous, fluffy and easy to manage.

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White Ripplette Seersucker House Dresses, 2.25

These are very serviceable dresses, trimmed with pique and chambray.

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Maids' Percale House Dresses, high and low neck, neat stripes	*1.89*
Japanese Dressing Sacques, beautifully embroidered. Our price	*79c*
Flannelette Dressing Sacques, belt of same material. Sale price	*59c*
House Dresses, new Spring ginghams and white piques, belted models and the popular Billie Burke coat dress. Beautiful patterns	*2.95*

SALE OF 3000 YARDS
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Bleached Sheeting

Every housewife knows what this well known sheeting is. It's 2¼ yards wide, in good lengths, ranging from 5 to 15 yards. Our price, a yard *49c*

Sale of 3500 Yds. Wash Fabrics

These fabrics are from a prominent local manufacturer. The lot includes many woven and printed stripe Beach Suitings and Poplins. A few plain colored fabrics in the lot. Every piece is one yard wide. They should sell quickly, as they are below actual cost price. *19c*

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We hear persons talking about the bargains they find in our Great Basement Store. "Let us see what Jordan Marsh Company's Basement Store has"—that's a common expression you'll hear every day on the streets, in the street cars and in other stores.

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The reason is plain. Our stocks are so very much larger than those of any other basement store that you're always sure to find anything you need here. Here we have 54 complete stores, each one with a complete line of goods, in addition to the many special bargains advertised from day to day.

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New Spring goods are pouring in here daily from the best markets of the country. New Spring styles in wearing apparel for every member of the family—all marked at our famous low prices.

Infants' Wear

Children's Winter Coats, in novelty cheviots, broken sizes, 2 to 6 years	*3.50*
Children's Winter Coats, in chinchilla, corduroy and velvets	*1.79*
Children's New Spring Hats, in silk and straw combinations, all the new shapes	*1.98*
Children's Wash Dresses, in plaids and plain colors. Sizes 2 to 6 years. High waist style	*79c*
Boys' White Poplin Suits, all sizes, 2 to 8 yrs.	*79c*
Children's White Voile Dresses, smocked, with pockets, yoke style; 2 to 10 year sizes	*1.39*

Embroideries

White Flouncing, 45 in., embroidered on fine voile	*98c*
White Flouncing, 42 in., embroidered on voile, solid pattern	*59c*
18 In. Shirtings, open, showy and solid patterns, embroidered on lawn	*29c*
Manufacturers' Strips, 5 yards to a piece, 2 to 4 in. wide, embroidered on nice quality longcloth. Yard	*10c*
Beading Edges, embroidered on nice fine quality longcloth	*12½c*
Fancy Tea Aprons, slightly soiled. Sale price	*39c*

Special Savings on New Spring Waists

Georgette Crepe Waists, beaded and embroidered models, in black only	*1.98*
Flannel Waists, gray with colored stripes, convertible collars	*98c*
Crepe de Chine Waists, in white and flesh, samples and fancy lace frilled models	*1.69*
Georgette Crepe Waists, samples and dressy models	*3.98*
Voile Waists, fancy models, trimmed with dainty laces	*1.98*
Voile and Novelty Waists, in white and colored stripes, all sizes	*98c*
Fancy Waists, also tailored white waists, high and low collars	*69c*
Striped Novelty Waists, long sleeves, black lawn waists also in this lot	*49c*

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Wed., March 13th

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Our 86th White Star Day, March 13th

TOMORROW, Wednesday, comes another of those events which have had so much to do with making White's economy centre—WHITE STAR DAY. This means that for ONE DAY, in almost every department, new and seasonable merchandise for wear or for the home, at radically less than the low prices always prevailing here.

White Star Day values are not the result of accident, nor do they simply mean that regular prices have been lessened. Our buyers plan weeks in advance for these monthly events, in co-operation with many of the largest producers and wholesalers.

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Mail or Telephone Orders Received Today for Goods Advertised Here Filled While Lots Last. We do Not Print Here All the Goods on Sale Star Day at Bargain Prices. Hundreds of Other Lots

Women's Suits

Women's Smart Poplin and Stylish Serge Suits, two very attractive Spring styles, one smartly braid trimmed, detachable collar, one tailored model with pleated back, all the Spring shades $17.50

Women's New Spring Suits, showing fine men's wear serge, braid trimmed with novelty buttons, full peau de cygne lined; also stylish wool poplins, flare back, smart tucked back and fancy overslip, full tailored skirt, navy blue and black $21.50

Women's Beautiful Spring Suits, materials men's wear serge, poplin, oxford gray, shepherd checks in both flare, plain and belted models, every new Spring style, detachable collars, fancy skirts with pockets. Many show detachable vests $23.50

Women's Tailored Suits, shown in men's wear serge, bound in black braid, shawl collar, flare back, fancy silk vest and buttons down hip, very attractive model, lined with fine peau de cygne; navy blue and black $23.50

Women's Coats

Women's Smart Wool Poplin Coats, in two very smart styles, one with fancy stitched belt, fancy sides, smart collar, half lined, others shown for large figures, with fancy detachable collar, semi-back with tie, full length model, half lined with peau de cygne; comes in navy, black, taupe $17.50

Women's Smart Serge and Poplin Coats, coats showing large combination pearl buttons, deep square collar, set-in sleeves, deep roll collar, wide belt and half lined with peau de cygne, suitable for large size figures; navy and black $19.25

Women's Dressy Wool Velour, Oxford Gray and Storm Serge Coats, showing very attractive plaited belt, convertible collar, fancy cuffs; collar very attractively made with tucked collar and self-trimmed buttons; also English tweeds, very smart style $23.50

Women's Dresses

Women's New Taffeta Dresses, smart Tunic Model, Georgette combination; new Foulard Model, serge combined; stylish Crepe de Chine Dresses, pretty light shades; new Serge Dresses, narrow braid trimming $14.25

Women's Georgette Dresses, daintily combined with taffeta, Empire mode; Dresses of Taffeta, ripple tunic style; Crepe Meteor Dresses, Georgette combination $17.50

Women's Skirts

Women's and Misses' Skirts, smart, stylish models, full gathered backs, new set-in tab pockets, wide girdle, button trimmed, in fancy plaids and plain serges, navy and black; sizes 24 to 33 bands $5.00

Women's New Sport and Sample Skirts, in smart plaids, green and blue, brown and gold, and men's-wear serges, navy and black, stylish full pleated and tailored models; sizes 24 to 31 $6.98

"Ready Made" Dresses

Foulard, Crepe de Chine and Taffeta Dresses, white silk collars and cuffs; some with embroidery trimmed, navy blue, all sizes $9.00

Georgette Dresses and Taffeta Dresses, silk drop, short tunic effect, beautiful pastel shades, such as gray, beige, light tan, embroidery underwaist, at $11.00

House Dresses

Middy Blouses, made of white linene, patch pockets, button front; sizes 6 to 20 95c

Blue Chambray House Dresses, large white collar and cuffs, belted model, button front, at $1.65

Misses' Dresses

Misses' and Small Women's New Frocks, numerous stylish models showing the popular high-waisted effects, Georgette sleeves and pretty soft collars; serges and taffetas, all the popular shades $12.25

Misses' and Small Women's New Taffeta Frocks, showing many pretty girlish models, some with side ruffles, some with full skirt and pockets, some with dainty tunic effects; gray, copen, tan, navy, rose $14.50

Misses' Suits

Misses' and Small Women's New Spring Suits, jaunty Eton model, shown in fine serge, trimmed with braid, stylish tunic skirt, navy and checks $18.50

Misses' and Small Women's New Spring Suits, attractive serge tailored models, showing the high waisted effect, and belted models trimmed with braid $19.25

Misses' Coats

Misses' and Small Women's New Spring Coats, beautiful high-waisted poplin coats, lined to waist, trimmed with novelty buttons, some are contrasting, colored collars $19.25

Misses' and Small Women's New Spring Coats, handsome velour and de laine coats, in the newest shades, belted and high waisted effects, novelty pockets, lined to waist with peau de cygne $23.50

Girls' Apparel

Gingham and Linene Dresses, trimmed with contrasting colors; plaids of plain colors, some with pockets; sizes 6 to 12, at 89c

Gingham and Chambray Wash Dresses, in plaids, checks and stripes. High waisted models, side patch pockets on skirts, trimmed with piping; sizes 6 to 14, at $1.29

Girls' and Junior Sample Spring Coats, only one of a kind, in serge, velour and checks; silk over-collars, patch pockets, some lined or half lined, at $11.00 and $13.75

Millinery

Lot Imported Flower Samples, great variety of styles and colors 37c

Sample Line of Fancy Ostrich, mostly expensive bands; extra value 77c

Lot Untrimmed Hats, straw and satin combination in good variety of styles and colors. About 1-3 regular prices 97c

Ready-to-Wear Hats, no two alike. Big variety of styles and colors. Many straw and crepe combinations. Surprising values $1.87

Blouses and Sweaters

Voile Blouses, pretty assorted stripes, self and pique collars 89c

Voile Blouses, in tailored, semi-tailored and embroidered styles $1.79

Round Neck Voile Blouses, edged with lace and daintily trimmed $2.59

Blouses, a carefully selected and complete assortment in Georgette, crepe de chine, net, wash satin and china silks; styles are tailored, semi-tailored and frill, in most all shades $2.75

Crepe de Chine, Georgette and Wash Satin Blouses, made in square neck, Peter Pan and roll collar styles $3.59

Crepe de Chine and Georgette Blouses, embroidered, beaded and square necks $5.00

Beautiful Zephyr Slip-On Sweater, with large brushed wool collar, adjustable waistline and pearl stitch skirt, colors turquoise, purple, buff and salmon. Price $4.85

Undermuslins

Step-in Combinations, made with wide drawer, lace yoke, lace shoulder straps, also sample night gowns, lace or embroidery trimmed 69c

Night Gowns, made with lace yoke and sleeves, fine nainsook $1.00

Satin Bodices, made with wide lace yoke, ribbon shoulder straps $1.00

Night Gowns and Envelope Chemise, elaborately trimmed with fine laces, embroidery medallions $1.45

Philippine Night Gowns, handmade and hand-embroidered, made with dainty embroidered spray on yoke and sleeve $1.79

White Petticoats, deep flounces of fine lace, some have lace medallions, ribbon bows $2.00

Petticoats and Kimonos

Cotton Taffeta Petticoats, all the wanted colors, made with ruffles or flounces, shirred top $1.00

Kimonos, two unusual models, one loose model, soft colors, trimmed with contrasting colors; other has waistline, sailor collar trimmed with plaited ribbon $2.39

Chiffon Corduroy Robes, wide wale, silk lined, finished with deep pockets, wide girdle $6.79

Infants' Wear

Infants' Medium Weight Vests, sizes 3 months to 3 years 23c

Infants' Merino Vests, sizes 3 months to 3 years 39c

Infants' Wool Bands 47c

Infants' Silk & Wool Bands.57c

Infants' Flannel Head Shawls 34c

Infants' Long Flannelette Kimonos, with pink or blue band, with rosebud design down front 39c

Infants' Beacon Crib Blankets (blue only) 59c

Infants' Soft Sole Shoes and Moccasins, in assorted colors and styles 59c

Corsets

Brassiere Bust Supporters, hamburg yoke, hook front model. Sizes 40, 44, 46 only 29c

Bandeau Bust Supporters, model fastened at back, dainty flesh-colored body cloth. Sizes 26-28 only 39c

Vogue and P. N. Corsets, small lot of medium bust models in white, non-rustable lacing and hose supporters. Vogue sizes 19 to 26; P. N. sizes 19, 20, 21, 22, 26 $1.19

Royal Worcester Corsets, small lot in white coutille, medium length bust, with hose supporters. Sizes 22-26 only $1.23

C B a la Spirite Corset, average figure model, in white coutille, boned with side steels, made with heavy graduated fast-clasp webbing hose supporters. Sizes 23 to 30 $1.45

Men's Furnishings

Men's Four-in-Hands, large assortment of new patterns 35c

Men's Fine Silk Four-in-Hands, all desirable patterns, new colorings 45c

Men's Muslin Night Robes, good quality cotton muslin, fancy braid trimmed, all V neck styles 69c

Men's Stiff Cuff Shirts, made of fine percale and printed madras, neat stripes and fancy patterns 95c

Men's Fine Percale Pajamas, striped, with large frogs, all fast colors $1.00

Men's Clothing

Men's Striped Trousers...$2.55

Men's and Young Men's Suits, Spring weight, regular sizes only $13.95

Blue Serge Suits, regular and stout sizes $13.95

Men's Knit Top Coats, oxford gray, green $17.50

Men's New Spring Suits, regular and stout sizes........$18.50

Boys' Clothing

Plaid Ties..........21c

Boys' Spring Caps........49c

Boys' Spring Caps........79c

Boys' Khaki Blouses, 2 military patch pockets 69c

Boys' Knickers, lined, 7 to 16 95c

Boys' Spring Reefers....$2.95

Boys' Spring Reefers....$5.00

Boys' Wash Suits.......$1.35

Boys' Norfolk Suits, alpaca lined, 7 to 16 $4.75

Boys' All-Wool Blue Serge Norfolk Suits. $5.65

Boys' 2-Trouser Norfolk Suits, alpaca lined, brass $5.65

Boys' 2-Trouser Norfolk Suits, fancy mixtures.. $7.65

Boys' High-Grade All-Wool Norfolk Suits, alpaca lined $10.50

Silks

Imported All-Silk Natural Shantung, 33-inch..... 48c

Heavy Imported Natural Color Shantung, 33-in.. 65c

Dress Foulards, newest Spring combinations, 36-in. 85c

Extra Fine and Heavy Quality Silk Crepe de Chine, wonderful line colors, also white, ivory and black, 40-inch $1.10

Georgette Crepes, in big line colors, great value, 40-in. $1.25

Dress Satins, exceptional value, good Spring colors and black, 40-in. $1.29

Imported White Fugi Pongee, a heavy wash silk, 36-in. $1.35

High-Grade Dress Satins, rich house shades, 36-in. $1.35

Heavy Wash Satins, in white and flesh pink, 36-in. $1.38

Highest Grade Black Silk-Filled Dress Poplin, 36-in. 79c

Standard Quality Black Satin Dress Messaline, 36-in. 98c

Rustling Black Dress Taffeta, rich black, 36-in. $1.19

Black Dress Satin, handsome soft finish, 36-in. $1.19

Washable White Corduroys

White Washable Corduroy, 36-in. 59c

Fine Wide Wale Washable Corduroy, 36-in... 85c

Dress Goods

New Dress Plaids, 42-in., fine styles 75c

Dress Serges, 36-in., good colors and black 79c

B. Priestly & Co. Imported Black Melrose, 42-in. 85c

Fine French Serges, 42-in., big line colors and black 95c

Fine Dress Plaids, 44-in., rich combinations 98c

Storm Serges, 54-in., good colors, navy and black $1.15

Fine Men's Wear Serges, 54-in., navy, brown, black $1.69

Wash Goods

36-In. Printed Dress Voiles, beautiful styles.. 21c

36-In. Highest Count Percales, good assortment.. 22c

27-In. Highly Mercerized Dress Poplins, all shades 25c

38-In. Printed Dress Voiles, this season's newest styles 25c

38-In. Printed Dress Voiles, extra fine rich combinations 29c

34-In. Dress Sateens, finest foulard styles 39c

50-In. Eponges, finest Spring colors 45c

36-In. Heavy Silk and Cotton Pongee, big line new colors 45c

36-In. Dupeona Silk, natural color 55c

Table Linens

Bleached Damask Table Cloths, handsome round designs, 8x4 size 98c

250 Fine Imported Table Cloths, in several sizes, some are heavy, pure linen $2.98

Heavy Pure Linen Table Cloths, full bleached, 8 x 10 size $3.98

Superfine Quality Imported Table Cloths, heavy pure linen, 8x12 size $4.98

Bleached Imported Damask, 64 inches wide 44c

Full Bleached Damask, 72 inches wide 59c

Fine Union Linen Satin Damask, 70-in. wide 98c

24 Sample Pieces Table Damask, all pure linen, 70 inches wide. $1.19 to $1.79

Extra Heavy Damask Napkins, union linen, 18x18 inches, dozen $1.49

Dinner Size Napkins, full bleached, 22x22 in., doz. $1.98

Fine Pure Linen Damask Napkins, large breakfast size, splendid quality, doz. $3.49

Sheets and Cottons

4000 Sheets and Pillow Cases, best quality, standard brands, sold to us as A No. 1 mill seconds (nothing to hurt the wear), at much less than wholesale prices.

42x36-Inch Pillow Cases...27c

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54x99-Inch Sheets......$1.09

63x90-Inch Sheets......$1.09

63x99-Inch Sheets......$1.19

81x99-Inch Sheets......$1.39

90x99-Inch Sheets......$1.49

40 Sample Pieces Bleached Sheeting, slightly imperfect, in several widths.

1¾ Yards Wide..........35c

2¼ Yards Wide..........39c

2½ Yards Wide..........45c

Bleached Pillow Cases, 45x36 inches (limit six) 20c

Fine Bleached Pillow Cases, 42x36 inches.... 25c

Full Size Bleached Sheets, 81x90 85c

Heavy Bleached Sheets, full size 98c

"Homespun" Bleached Sheets, 81x90 and 81x99 inches $1.09

White Goods

Fine White Voile, 38-in.....19c

White Seeded Voile, 38-in..19c

Fine Gabardine Suiting, 36-in.25c

Imported Skirting Corduroy, 40-in. 29c

Mercerized Nainsook, 36-in..29c

Sheer Voiles, 38-in.........29c

Crepe de Chine, 36-in.......39c

Novelty "Nub" Crepe, 36-in.39c

White Irish Poplin, 27-in....39c

Eponge Ratine Suiting, 36-in..39c

Pure Linen French Suiting, 45-in. 79c

Pure Linen Ramie Suiting, 45-in. 79c

White Longcloth, soft finish, 36-inch, 12-yard lengths, per piece $1.98

Aprons

"Fit-Everybody" Standard Percale Bungalow Aprons, with elastic waist band 69c

Breakfast Sets, skirt and waist of standard percale 98c to $1.19

Towels and Crash

Small Huck Towels......6½c

Hemmed Dish Towels....7½c

Hemmed Bath Towels.....10c

Hemmed Dish Towels...12½c

Crash Remnants, yard....12½c

Guest Bath Towels......12½c

Hemmed Bath Towels.....14c

Hemmed Glass Towels.....15c

Heavy Bath Towels.......19c

Ribbed Bath Towels.......19c

Extra Heavy Bath Towels..25c

Hemmed Roller Towels....32c

Extra Heavy Bath Towels..39c

"Jumbo" Bath Towels.....48c

Bath Mats, seconds 25c to $1.59

Fine Crash Towelling.....7½c

Heavy Crash Towelling...8½c

Union Linen Towelling...12½c

Bed Spreads and Blankets

Hemmed Crochet Bed Spreads, full bed size. $1.49

Hemmed or Fringed Satin Damask Bed Spreads, full bed size $2.59

Satin Damask Spreads, fine quality, hemmed edge, full bed size $2.98

Satin Damask Bed Sets, with bolster sham, scalloped edge, full bed size $4.98

Warm Gray Blankets, cut single, full bed size, each $1.19

Gray, Tan or White Warm Blankets, full bed size, pair $2.49

Heavy Warm Gray Blankets, large double bed size, pair $3.98

Domestic Rugs

Crex Rugs, 18x36 inches.....38c

Crex Rugs, 24x48 inches.....70c

Crex Rugs, 27x54 inches.....89c

Crex Rugs, 30x60 inches...$1.10

Crex Rugs, 36x72 inches...$1.30

Crex Rugs, 8x8 ft..........$4.15

Crex Rugs, 9x9 ft..........$5.35

Crex Rugs, 8x14 ft.........$5.95

Royal Wilton Rugs, 27x54 inches $4.45

Royal Wilton Rugs, 32x63 inches $7.65

Body Brussels Rugs, 27x54 inches $3.45

Body Brussels Rugs, 36x72 inches $5.65

Axminster Rugs, 36x70 in..$4.95

Axminster Rugs, 36x70 in..$5.65

Heavy Axminster Rugs, 36x70 inches, as is $5.15

Heavy Axminster Rugs, 36x70 inches, as is $4.45

Heavy Axminster Rugs, 27x54 inches, as is $3.15

Heavy Axminster Rugs, 27x54 inches, as is $2.45

Linoleums

Extra Heavy Felt Base Linoleum, two yards wide. Per square yard 36c

Rug Surround, one yard wide, made on a burlap base. Per square yard 49c

Printed Cork Linoleum, two yards wide, slightly imperfect. Per square yard 59c

Curtains and Upholsteries

27-In. Figured and Stripe Curtain Muslin, yd.... 12½c

Plain Curtain Scrims, yd.....13c

Colored Border Curtain Scrim, yd. 15c

Plain Fine White Curtain Scrim, yd. 16c

Tape Edge Curtain Marquisette, white, cream, arabe, yard 17c

Lace Edge Curtain Scrim, white and ecru, yard 17c

Hemstitched Scrim Curtains, pair 65c

Valance Nottingham Curtains, pair 69c

Filet Style Lace Insertion and Edge Valance Scrim Curtains, pair 87c

White and Cream Lace Edge Scrim Curtains, pr. 95c

Lace Edge Valance Scrim Curtains, pair 98c

Insertion and Edge Valance Voile Curtains, pr. $1.20

White Hemstitched Marquisette Curtains, with valance, pair $1.20

Scalloped Edge Nottingham Curtains, pr. $1.25

Fine Marquisette Curtains, lace edge and valance, pair $1.25

Cream Madras Curtains, pr.$1.25

Tapestry Couch Covers, reversible colors, pair $1.27

Valance Scrim Curtains, lace insert and edge, pair $1.59

Scrim Curtains, Cluny style, lace insets and edges, white valance, pair $1.69

Oriental Style Tapestry Couch Covers 98c

Armure Tapestry Portieres, pair $2.98

Chenille Rope Portieres, for doors, each $3.69

Furniture and Beds

Dropside Couch Frame, with National Spring fabric $5.95

Sliding Couch Frame, can separate into two parts by simply unhooking the parts $5.95

High-Riser National Spring, with double helical corners, supported edge and center by spiral springs and steel slats $5.98

Felt Mattress, for sliding couches or drop side couches $6.95

Combination Mattress, felt and sea moss $6.98

High-Grade Fibre and Cotton Combination Mattress (two parts) $7.95

Continuous Post Safety Crib, with sliding sides, very high, to keep baby from falling out $7.95

Roll-Edge White Felt Mattress, 2 parts.... $12.98

A Good Continuous Post White Enamel Iron Bed, has heavy fillers with warranted National Spring and soft top and bottom mattress $14.95

Brass Bed, with 2-inch posts, 2-inch top rail and 10 heavy fillers $16.50

Natural Willow Bar Harbor Armchair or Rocker, without cushions $7.25

Combination High Chair, golden oak; can be used as high chair, tea chair, rocker or push-cart $7.98

Reed Armchair or Rocker, with tapestry cushion seat and back; walnut, natural or baronial finish $11.85

Reed Tea Cart, with removable cretonne lined tray $11.98

First Week of Spring Sale of Toilet Goods

Last Week of Sale of Dressmakers' Supplies

Annual Spring Sale of Household and Kitchen Furnishings at Cut Prices

OLD GUARD OUT TO LEGALIZE CONVENTION

Preparing to Pass Bill Over Governor McCall's Veto

The Old Guard crowd in the Legislature today began to spread the lines to pass the "packed convention" bill over the head of Governor McCall.

The veto threatens to split wide-open the chasm that has been gradually widening between the Governor and the Old Guard crowd.

At the suggestion of Representative Martin Hays of Brighton, one of the reactionary leaders, the House has postponed for a week the move to pass the bill over the veto. Meanwhile, they will attempt to muster all their strength.

NEED TWO-THIRDS VOTE.

A two-thirds vote is necessary in both the House and Senate to override the veto. The bill went through the House by a vote of 161 to 55, some of the Democrats, including John L. Donovan, the "titular leader" supporting the bill. In the Senate, the vote on enactment was 21 to 15. That vote indicates that the governor's vote indicates that the Governor's the Senate.

When the bill was in the upper branch, Governor McCall informally urged its defeat. It was supposed at that time that the Governor would appoint President Henry G. Wells to the Superior Court vacancy. When the Governor appointed another, the Senate, in its resentment, passed the convention bill.

The bill provides for a return to the old convention system of nominating candidates for the offices of Secretary of State, State Treasurer, State Auditor and Attorney-General.

CHARGE MOVE TO OUST COOK.

During the debate in the House, the little band of progressives insisted that the bill was primarily a move to oust State Auditor Alonzo B. Cook, who has been nominated three successive years by the people, despite the opposition of the Old Guard gang in the Republican party.

Governor McCall, in his veto message, denounced the bill as an attempt to return to the old system of boss-rule. He said in the closing paragraph of his veto message:

"The time when all the free nations of the world are standing side by side in a life and death struggle for democracy, and the hearts of men are kindled for popular rights as never before, is surely not the time when this Commonwealth, of all the States in the Union, should start the retreat and point the way to the country towards the restoration of political privilege and to the re-enthronement of the party boss."

NEWTON OPENS DRIVE TO RAISE WAR AID FUND

An effort is being made this week in Wards one and seven of Newton to raise $25,000 for war relief purposes in that section of the city. It has been estimated that $25,000 will cover expenses of all the various societies doing war work during the coming year and it is planned to collect the amount this week. The campaign was formally opened by a rally at which Dr. Eugene A. Crockett and Dr. Brewer Eddy, Red Cross workers, made addresses.

MRS. RUSSELL SAGE GIVES $100,000 TO COLLEGE

Syracuse, N. Y., March 12.—Mrs. Russell Sage made a donation of $100,000 for the completion of the Joseph Slocum College of Agriculture. Chancellor James Roscoe Day of Syracuse University also announced that an addition would be made to the Good Shepherd Hospital, controlled by the University, to care for wounded American soldiers.

First Public Hearing on Cost of Fish Thursday

The first public hearing in the legislative investigation into the high cost of fish will be held at 10:30 o'clock Thursday morning at the State House.

An invitation to all consumers and retailers who have any knowledge of the causes of the rapidly-increased cost of fish to attend the hearing and address the committee was made by the committee today.

All organizations, such as leagues of consumers, housewives and improvement associations that are interested in public questions of this character, were also invited to attend.

A permanent headquarters has been established at Room 458, State House, where the committee will receive complaints and charges.

SPECIAL NOTICE
VAST FOOD VALUE

Scientific tests prove that Father John's Medicine contains a vast store of strength-building, food elements in a form easily taken up by the system. That is why many people gain flesh and strength so rapidly while taking this old-fashioned, body-building tonic in the spring.

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Just 25 Coats left, and we are going to clear them up in a hurry —Women's and misses' sizes—Be here early.

$5

New Spring Millinery

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BOSTON AMERICAN SPORTS

IT WAS A MOVING PICTURE, BRING

FULLERTON LOOKS FOR JACK HENDRICKS TO GO OVER BIG AS CHIEF OF CARDINALS

By HUGH S. FULLERTON.

The St. Louis Cardinals present practically a like proposition in the National League race to the New York Yankees in the American League scramble.

Here's Miller Huggins leaving a club he was rapidly developing into a winner, taking hold of an outfit which had plenty of "class" a year ago but which got a bad ride, with it up to Jack Hendricks to prove exactly what he amounts to.

The Cardinals have had three men called into military service. Three more of the Westerners are liable to be ordered to put on the khaki any old time.

Hendricks has come into his own at last. A major league manager who, for years has been managing in the minors, has finally been given his chance.

IT'S UP TO HENDRICKS.

Upon Jack Hendricks depends the success or failure of the Cardinals. Last season, under Miller Huggins, this team did a lot af sensational work. At one time they scared the entire league and threatened to slip through to a pennant.

And they did that with a team that rated just high enough to have a chance to break into the first division, which lacked consistent pitching strength, which was weak in several positions, and which required a lot of managing to keep it going at all.

The unexpected hitting strength of Hornsby, Cruise and Smith, of course, gave it a punch that was not suspected at the start of the season, but it got a lot more pitching than anyone expected it to get.

Remember that the National League is not strong—was not strong last season—and that, although it is gaining in strength, it is not yet up to standard.

It is a league that is recovering from a lot of afflictions; a league in which some teams have realized that many supposed assets have proved liabilities, and that are rebuilding on a sounder basis. St. Louis is one of them. It has discarded the old and is making a new, virile ball club.

DISSECTS SLAB STAFF.

Last season we naturally expected Doak to be the burden bearer of the team, and Doak failed to come through. On the other hand, Packard, Horstman, Meadows and the veteran Ames proved consistent winners and showed fair winning averages.

Doak pitched a great number of games, and was used in the "tough" games. He worked in seven against New York, and registered six losses with one win to the Giants.

The pitching staff did all that could have been expected, and it is a corking staff this season. The team has catching strength; has a big punch; has a fair outfield and a rather uncertain infield, with Hornsby a big factor.

During the Winter Weeghman of Chicago, playing grandstand with a huge bankroll, pulled a lot of C. Webb Murphy brand of cheap publicity which may have helped Chicago, but which certainly hurt St. Louis. He advertised that he was out to buy Hornsby.

CHEAP STUFF HURT.

That million dollar talk caused Hornsby to be dissatisfied. He evidently took himself at something near Weeghman's stage money estimate. He became discontented. Even worse, some of the other Cards, who know just how good Hornsby is, seeing him over advertised, became a trifle jealous.

Beyond doubt Weeghman's publicity campaign in Chicago hurt the Cards and gave Hendricks another situation to smooth over. This may affect the Cards for a time, but the seriousness of it has, in my opinion, been overestimated.

The St. Louis team lines up today stronger than it did a year ago. Huggins experimented and discovered almost everything excepting a first baseman—Miller, never quite satisfactory, is in military service. With a little rearranging the club will do. **The recruits do not promise much.**

Hendricks is the big problem. I have known him ever since he was a youngster breaking in with the Giants as a player. From the first day he became a "kid" manager, he showed something and that something was a power to command and lead men and to win them to him.

Every team he ever has had has been devoted to him, because he is square with them, is strong for them and is entirely unprejudiced and impartial. He is a born leader. In my opinion he is a better leader than Miller Huggins.

The Cardinals will bear a lot of watching, especially after June 1.

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HERZOG MUM AS BRAVES START FOR MIAMI

By N. J. FLATLEY

The Braves go over the top tonight. The second division of Boston baseball gets out from the South Station on the midnight.

There will be none of the Brave players in the contingent that leaves the land of ice and snow and cold and no coal and things for the region of palm trees, balmy breezes and ice cream suits.

Merely the ubiquitous B. M. Hapgood and some five or six baseball scribes. But when you come to think of it, most of said scribes have followed the team for the last couple of seasons, and are braves of a kind all their own.

The first athletes are scheduled to join the outfit at New York. Willard McGraw, rookie catcher, and perhaps little Richard Rudolph.

Richard hasn't signed up at abbreviated war time figures, and swears he will not, but with the trains chugging down there, Winter statements are oft forgot.

Little Richard, no doubt, likes his chicken farm up in West Nyack, N. Y., but he also likes baseball.

LOOK FOR RUDOLPH.

That's why P. D. Haughton and the aforementioned ubiquitous B. M. expect that the bald-pated wonder will be on the 9.15 express for Washington at the Penn station tomorrow.

At Washington John Henry, one time battery mate of Walter Johnson, will be taken aboard, as will also Jimmy Smith, who comes from the Giants. Fred Bailey, if he isn't an aviator by now, will join at Richmond, Va., and Red Smith comes on at Jacksonville, Fla.

The rest of the squad is already headed for Miami from all points of the compass, and will be there when the Boston pilgrimage arrives early Friday morning. The practice season being short, the opening guns of the training season will be fired that morning, if it doesn't rain, which it never does down there.

Nothing has been heard from Charles Lincoln Herzog, who wants a bonus and a long term salary and the property rights to Braves field and a few other things for signing up. The Braves have ceased to worry about him, but have wired the Giants for early action.

STALLINGS IS PEEVED.

Stallings has issued the ultimatum that either Herzog must sign up quickly, or Larry Doyle and Jess Barnes be handed back from the champions of the league. It is the opinion of most of the experts, and also ourself, that Charles will probably get on the train some time on the journey down, if he doesn't go before that time.

The Miracle Man, as George T. continues to be called, is satisfied that all his tribe will be on the job. Looks from this angle as if it would be another miracle, but that's neither here nor there.

The fact of the matter is that the Braveless Braves leave tonight, and Boston baseball is officially started.

P. S.—We have just received a letter from A. Boston Phan which states that he will "proberly go to myamy."

WANDERERS TOO GOOD FOR CAMBRIDGE TEAM

The Boston Wanderers put up a sparkling all-round game and defeated the Cambridge Hockey Club team at the Arena, 3-0. Foote scored two goals for the winners, while Wendell shot the third counter. Great work in the nets by Mackay stopped several Cambridge rallies.

Navy Yard Seven Scores

New York, March 11.—The Boston Navy Yard hockey team defeated the New York Wanderers at St. Nicholas Rink, 4-3.

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By TAD

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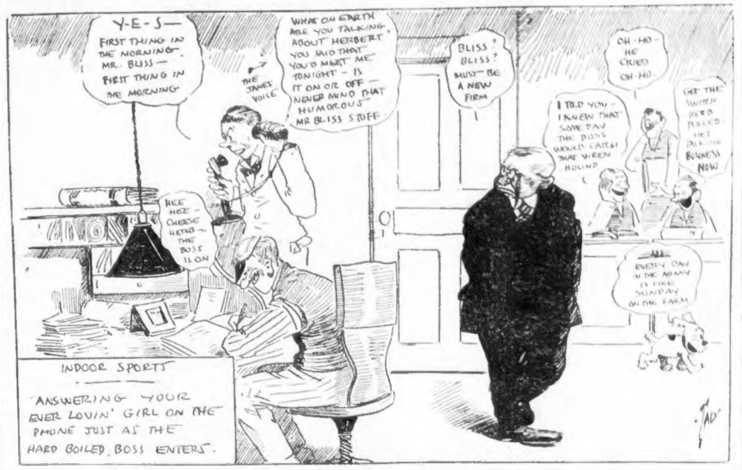
Y-E-S— FIRST THING IN THE MORNING, MR. BLISS— FIRST THING IN THE MORNING
THE JANE'S VOICE
WHAT ON EARTH ARE YOU TALKING ABOUT HERBERT, YOU SAID THAT YOU'D MEET ME TONIGHT—IS IT ON OR OFF—NEVER MIND THAT HUMOROUS MR BLISS STUFF
BLISS? BLISS? MUST BE A NEW FIRM
HEE HEE—CHEESE HERB—THE BOSS IS ON
OH-HO-HE CRIED OH-HO
I TOLD YOU—I KNEW THAT SOME DAY THE BOSS WOULD CATCH THAT WREN HOUND
GET THE SWITCH HERB PULLED—HE'S TALKING BUSINESS NOW
EVERY DAY IN THE ARMY IS LIKE SUNDAY ON THE FARM
TAD

INDOOR SPORTS

"ANSWERING YOUR EVER LOVIN' GIRL ON THE PHONE JUST AS THE HARD BOILED BOSS ENTERS."

SAM AGNEW AND MAYS AT SPA WITH HOSE

By HENRY L. DAILY

Hot Springs, Ark., March 12.—The Spring practice work of the Red Sox started today, when Manager Ed Barrow took his band of warriors out to Majestic Park. Work, plenty of it, is in store for the boys from now out.

Manager Barrow calls taps at 11:30 every night. "Early to bed" is his slogan. His daily program follows:

8:30—Arise.
9:30—Breakfast over, dress and leave for ball park.
10:30—Practice starts at Majestic Park.
2:30 p. m.—Practice over, return to hotel after hike over the mountains.
3:30—Baths and rest.
6 p. m.—Dinner.
7 p. m.—Cards.
11:30—Retire.

From Barrow's schedule the boys will lose their noonday meal. This apparently was his intention, so as to avoid heavy eating in the middle of the day. Another new feature of his own is the early retiring. Barrow insists that every player shall be in bed by 11:30.

The pitchers were to be given light work today, consisting of tossing up the sphere. This was done so that the first day's work will not leave any sore arms.

Dutch Leonard has not as yet arrived. The delay has been reported as owing to the illness of his wife.

Sam Agnew has had several conferences with President Frazee, but as yet Yo-Ho Sam and the prexy have failed to come to terms.

Carl Mays reported for practice today. He has been working on his farm in Missouri and looks in fine shape.

The players here at present are pitchers Ruth, Mays, Bush, Wyckoff, Jaynes and McCabe; Catchers Agnew, Howley, Schang and Mayer, and Johnny Evers.

It loks now as though the first game between the Red Sox and Dodgers would take place Saturday.

LEO HOUCK OUTSLUGS WILSON AT NEW CLUB

Leo Houck, veteran mittsmith from Lancaster, Pa., proved in the ring of the Douglas A. A. of Chelsea that he's practically every bit as good as he used to be. Ten years back Houck was as tough and as rough as they came among the Queensberry middleweights. He's still all of that; ol' Leo has barely slowed up at all, at all.

Houck scaled in as a light-heavyweight and put up a whale of a battle against Johnny Wilson, Charlestown Southpaw. It was Wilson's bout for the first nine rounds, with Johnny staggering ol' Leo in the first, third and fifth cantos.

The show lost considerable of its lustre when Johnny Rosner of New York, noted fly-weight battler, wired over at the eleventh-hour—leastwise, so the management announced—that he was laid up with a gripp. Barney Snyder of Roxbury, substituted for Rosner against Paddy Owens of Cambridge.

Eddie Flynn got the better of a close call in his eight-rounder with Billy Burke, while Burt Jones started by outpointing Frank Chaney in a smart little six-rounder.

PLENTY OF TENNIS AT HARVARD THIS SPRING

Harvard will have a varsity and freshman tennis team this Spring and will be prepared to meet all comers. Alexander E. Kirk of Chicago, manager of the varsity, announces that Yale, Princeton and Dartmouth are in search of matches with the Crimson and will be accomodated. Manager Charles A. Page of Chestnut Hill will look out for the 1921 team. He plans to book several schoolboy contests and will close the season with Yale 1921, June 1. Harvard will also hold its annual Spring matches and may stage its customary interscholastic meet.

JAMES J. CORBETT.

"JOHN L." AS I KNEW HIM"

BY JAMES J. CORBETT.

JOHN L. SULLIVAN

THIS is the twentieth chapter of a series which James J. Corbett is writing on "John L. as I Knew Him." It relates many heretofore unpublished incidents in the life of the great warrior. The next installment will appear tomorrow.

"Was John L. Sullivan ever the heavyweight champion of the world?"

A hundred thousand times—and more—this question has been asked. Some persons have answered it "yes," and just as many have replied in the negative. But in my opinion, backed by facts, John L. Sullivan was the heavyweight champion of the world under London prize ring rules—and he never lost that title.

The first real champion in pugilism was James Figg, an Englishman, who reigned back in 1719. From that time on for more than a century the tracing of the championship is rather difficult.

But in 1858 one finds Tom Sayers ranked as the heavyweight champion of England and John Heenan, "The Benecia Boy," the outstanding warrior of the American prize ring.

On April 17, 1860, Sayers and Heenan met in England in a battle for a $1,000 side bet and the "heavyweight championship of the world."

After a battle of forty-two rounds, which occupied two hours and twenty minutes, toughs broke into the ring and stopped the fight.

HEENAN CLAIMED TITLE.

The referee could do nothing but call the fight a draw. Almost immediately after that battle Sayers retired from the ring and Heenan claimed the heavyweight championship of the world, and his claim was generally recognized.

Late in 1860 Sam Hurst of England whipped Tom Paddock, a fellow Britton, and a belt, emblematic of the heavyweight championship of Great Britain, was awarded him.

On January 18, 1861, Jem Mace defeated Hurst and in turn became the champion. On November 26, 1862, Tom King whipped Mace in twenty-one rounds and established rights to the heavyweight championship of England.

On December 10, 1863, King clinched claim to the title by defeating Hurst in twenty-four rounds.

MANY IN LINE FOR BELT.

A short while afterward King retired from the ring. Joe Wormald laid claim to the title. So did Mace.

When Wormald retired temporarily from the fighting world, due to an injured hand, Mace was recognized as the champion.

In 1866 Mace, in defending the championship, fought a draw with Joe Goss. A year or so later Tom Allen of England came to the front, and, after vainly challenging Mace, claimed the British heavyweight title.

But Mace retained the belt. Then Allen came to the United States.

Meanwhile, various battles on American soil between American fighters, established Mike McCoole at the top of the fighters in the United States.

In 1869 Allen and McCoole fought in St. Louis for "the heavyweight championship of the world." McCoole won in the ninth round on a foul but Allen refused to concede McCoole's claims to the championship of the world.

MACE AND ALLEN BATTLE.

Shortly afterward Mace came to the United States and sought a battle with Allen. He was accommodated. The two Britons met in Kennersville, Ind., May 10, 1870, and Mace won in 10 rounds.

At once Mace declared himself heavyweight champion of the world although McCoole, by virtue of his earlier victory over Allen, had a better claim.

Mace became inactive as a ring performer along about 1873 and then Allen and McCoole decided to fight again to determine "the real heavyweight champion of the world."

They met in St. Louis September 23, 1873, and Allen, the Englishman, won in seven rounds. The public then recognized Allen as the king of heavies.

On May 7, 1876, Allen fought Joe Goss and after one hour and fifty-two minutes of furious fighting Goss won—and the crown was passed along to him.

On May 30, 1880, Goss fought Paddy Ryan in Collier Station, West Virginia. The men battled for eighty-seven rounds—and in the end Paddy Ryan was the winner.

And in 1882 John L. Sullivan came along and knocked out Paddy Ryan.

Doesn't that prove Sullivan's right to the heavyweight championship of the world under London Prize Ring rules?

JOHN L. REAL CHAMPION.

From that day in 1882 until he died no man ever whipped John L. in a fight under London Prize Ring rules. And John L. fought the best men that would face him.

Some persons claim that Sullivan was not the real heavyweight champion because he failed to whip Charlie Mitchell, who, at the time of their second fight, was the outstanding pugilist in Great Britain. But the rules of the prize ring are specific on this point:

A champion remains such until beaten!

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HARRY GREB WAY TOO CLASSY FOR McTIGUE

Cleveland, March 12.—Harry Greb, Pittsburgh middleweight, won from Mike McTigue of New York, in ten rounds. McTigue never had a chance, Greb boring in and showering him with blows at will. McTigue saved himself from a knockout by hanging on in the last four rounds.

In the semi-windup, Bobby Ward, St. Paul lightweight, won from Paul Pollock of San Francisco.

FIELDER JONES GIVES BROWNS MAIDEN DRILL

Shreveport, La., March 12.—Manager Fielder Jones gave the St. Louis Browns their first Spring drill today. His squad numbers twenty players and the workout was a mild one. Jones expects five more men to enter the camp during the week.

HENDRYX TURNED OVER TO ST. LOUIS BROWNS

Macon, Ga., March 12.—Miller Huggins, manager of the New York Yankees, announces that Outfielder Tim Hendryx has been turned over to the St. Louis Browns in the deal for Lee Magee. Huggins is to get a player from Christy Mathewson and then the swap will be officially closed.

NEW TERRY McGOVERN IS FAR FROM TERRIBLE

Philadelphia, March 12.—Frankie Callahan, Brooklyn lightweight, made Young Terry McGovern look like a rank novice in their six-round bout at the Olympia A. A. McGovern was lucky to avoid being kayoed.

UNEXPECTED IS WORST BLOW TO GET

By ED W. SMITH

It's the unexpected punch that hurts most in a ring encounter.

If you are willing to take a left jab on the forehead for the purpose of getting in some sort of a punch on your opponent, and you are set for this blow, it doesn't hurt at all.

But if your opponent crosses you and instead of delivering the blow you expect he will, he gets in one on some other part of your anatomy, then it usually proves a stinger.

These observations are brought out by a strange statement that Fred Fulton made after the battle in New Orleans with Frank Moran.

Fulton said that he wanted to prove that he wasn't afraid of a wallop and in order to show his gameness and general stamina, deliberately stuck out his chin, not once but twenty times or more, and let Moran strike him there.

That's all very well in its way, but it does not go to prove very much. The punches that Fulton took were expected.

He was figuring on them and they came over just as he thought they would. Therefore they had little or no effect.

But supposedly that while Fulton had his jaw all set and rigid for the swing to the chin he figured was coming, that Moran had set himself and slashed one into Fred's elongated slats?

That would have been unexpected and the effect would have been anything but pleasant on the big plasterer.

It's a dangerous thing to fool with this thing of showing a crowd how game you can be in the ring.

Jack O'Brien of Philadelphia, himself a game man, but with some sense, always insisted that gameness was a form of insanity. And he had facts and figures to show it.

Just the other night Bill Brennan showed that he is a game man. It got Brennan one of the worst lickings a man ever received in a ring and possibly put Bill out of the running for a considerable time.

Men frequently cure cowardice and lack of courage in their makeups. Jack Johnson once quit cold, but later on explained it by saying he was hungry at the time.

His display of courage at Reno in merely entering the ring proved completely there was nothing wrong with his heart then.

AL SHUBERT OUTSTEPS BURNS IN FAST SET-TO

Bridgeport, Ct., March 12.—Al Shubert of New Bedford, Mass., had the better of his ten-round bout with Frankie Burns. It was a fast skirmish all the way.

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3—Buckwall, John Hurle, Harry Jr.
4—Billy Stealthouse, H. C. Basch, Mary's Beau.
5—Ida Pinuck, Justice Gorbel, Matches.
6—Bell Boy, Madame Herrmann, Pleasureville.

Most Probable Winner—BELL BOY.

AT HAVANA.

1—Baby Cole, Amazonian, Sevillian.
2—Drumi, Joe Finn, Bandymo.
3—Napoli, Joh Thayer, Lady Moore.
4—Clumsy Kate, Rhyme, Katahdin.
5—Hendlet, Massenet, Hank Hill.
6—Highland Lassie, Nephthys, Circulate.

Most Probable Winner—HIGHLAND LASSIE.

OFFICIAL ENTRY LIST OUT FOR STATE MEET

Not content with winning the local track and field championship, Coach [illegible] Sherlock of High School of Commerce started his charges on a drive today for the State meet to be held Saturday at the East Armory.

The winning of the State meet will naturally mean much to Commerce and, because of its recent victory, it should enter as favorite.

The official entry list follows:

Senior high jump—[illegible]

Senior standing broad jump—[illegible]

Junior running high jump—[illegible]

Junior standing broad—[illegible]

Junior shot put—[illegible]

TEN HARVARD R. O. T. C. MEN IN SERVICE RACE

When the runners breast the tape at Ashland April 19, Harvard will have good representation among the service teams entered in the patriotic race, which the B. A. A. has substituted for its annual Marathon classic. Ten members of the R. O. T. C. at Harvard have entered the event.

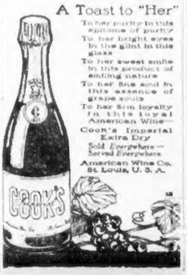
The Harvard ten, composed mainly of freshmen, are Burnham, Lewis, varsity cross-country captain; Dennis O'Connell, who won the freshman intercollegiate run at New York last November; Jim Nally, former Exonian; Bryan Baldwin, Fred Cady, Bob Chambers, Bart Boyden, Bill Goodwin, Dan Duggan and Charley Page.

GATELY, OLD-TIME BIKE RIDER, DEAD

Frank A. Gately, for many years a biker of prominence, died at his home, No. 1 Hayden Terrace, Roxbury, early today, after an illness of two months. During his career Gately opposed such prominent sprinters as Eddie Bald, Major Taylor, Nat and Tom Butler, Tom Cooper and Frank L. Kramer and in later years was pacemaker for Jimmy Michael, Bill [illegible], Johnny Nelson and Albert Champion. Gately was [illegible] years of age. He is survived by his wife and five children.

Ray Pryel Whips Whalen

Pittsburgh, March 12.—Ray Pryel, a local lightweight, defeated Billy Whalen of St. Paul decisively in a fast ten-round bout.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JOHNNY DUNDEE AND CARLSON AT TRIPLE A.

Admirers of Brockton Lightweight Hopeful He Will Muss Up Speedy New Yorker

Main event—Johnny Dundee of New York vs. Harry Carlson of Brockton, twelve rounds.

Semi-final—Joe Youngsberg of Radio School vs. Pat Sullivan of New York, eight rounds.

Second preliminary—Young Abe Attell vs. Young Dyson, six rounds.

Curtain-raiser—Willie Roberts vs. Tom Deady, six rounds.

Referees—Larry Conley and Moffitt Flaherty.

Starting time—8 p. m.

By RINGSIDE.

Considerable interest is centred on the feature bout at the Armory A. A. tonight, between Johnny Dundee, the great little New Yorker, and Harry Carlson of Brockton.

Carlson's admirers, and they are legion, feel that Harry has a fine chance of getting the decision over the little Italian.

Harry was never going better than at the present time, as he proved by defeating both Gil Gallant and Freddie Yelle last week. Dundee, however, must be in good trim, as reports have him beating the hard-hitting George Chaney in every round at Philadelphia last Saturday night.

Johnny has been in some tough battles within the past year, though, and, like all other humans, there's a limit to his endurance.

At the clip Carlson is travelling, Johnny will have to be at his best to stave him off. A reverse verdict for Carlson won't injure his reputation a great deal, as its no disgrace to lose to Johnny Dundee.

New faces will be seen in the preliminary bouts, where the following hook up: Joe Youngsberg vs Pat Sullivan, Willie Roberts vs. Tom Deady, and Young Abe Attell vs. Young Dyson.

Dyson recently made Sammy Stern jump the ropes, and as Attell has been doing fine work down Maine way the bout promises to be full of pep, both boys possessing a hard punch.

FRED FULTON KNOCKS COWLER OUT IN FIFTH

St. Louis, March 12.—Tom Cowler, [illegible]-pound British battler, was knocked out in the fifth round by Fred Fulton, Minnesota giant, at the Coliseum.

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Read Loretto Lynch's Article Here on an Economical Diet

Magazine Page

Tuesday, March 12

Save Before You Waste

YOU can save butter by making butter balls of the whole pound of butter before any is used for cooking. Then it is out of temptation's reach, and you can turn to some vegetable oil or nut butter for cooking.—From Good Housekeeping.

Using Fish in Lent

AN ARTICLE OF ECONOMICAL VALUE

Ways in Which Housewives Can Utilize Fish to Make an Appetizing and Nourishing Dish

By Loretto C. Lynch,

Instructor War Cookery New York Evening High School for Women.

"NO one in our house likes fish, and so we never have it. In fact, I don't like it myself," remarked a woman who was taking luncheon with me in a department store restaurant.

"But," I ventured, "you ate some here today."

"I just couldn't help ordering it. It looked so good when it came to the next table, I just had to have some."

And therein lies a tale.

It has always been a mystery to me why the ordinary housewife begrudges the little extra time it takes to cook and serve fish attractively. Yet the same woman will give time and energy to the most tedious sort of embroidery and perhaps spend a great deal of time endeavoring to make her home or her personal appearance attractive.

But now that the Lenten season is upon us, every housewife should make a particular effort to present her family appetizing, nourishing fish dishes.

In the first place, you must know how to select a fresh fish. In a fresh fish the gills are bright red, the eyes bulging and bright and the flesh along the backbone is firm and elastic. A fresh fish has not a "fishy" odor. If you have but one refrigerator, of course you cannot keep fish in it. For fish has a way of permeating other foods with its odor.

A couple of roasting pans may be used as an improvised fish chest. Put some chopped ice in the first pan, lay the fish on it, cover the fish with more cracked ice and put on the other roasting pan.

Among the varieties of fish suitable for baking are shad, cod, haddock, cusk, bluefish, small salmon, bass and trout.

Any fish should be cleaned and then wiped inside and out with a cloth wet with cold salt water and dried with a towel kept especially for this purpose.

If you are going to bake a fish leave the head on. Select a four-pound fish. Stuff it with the following:

Stuffing for Baked Fish

Stale bread or cracker crumbs, one cupful melted butterine, two tablespoons or more salt, one-half teaspoonful parsley, cut fine; one tablespoonful grated onion (one-half of a small one); sour pickle, chopped fine; paprika, one-eighth teaspoonful; pepper, a few grains.

(Note.—Mix ingredients in the order given. All measurements level. A standard half pint cup is used.)

After stuffing the fish, sew up the slit with strong thread. Insert strips of pork or beef fat into the fish with the aid of a larding-needle if the fish is a dry one. Put the fish on a greased fish sheet on the baking pan. Bits of fat should be placed in the pan or on the fish. Bake about one hour, basting frequently with the melted fat. Serve with drawn butter or Hollandaise sauce.

Drawn Butter—War Style

Water, 1½ cups; salt, ½ teaspoon; pepper, a few grains; cornstarch, 1½ tablespoons; butterine, 4 tablespoons.

Stir the cornstarch in a little cold water. When smooth, add it to the rest of the water and cook, stirring constantly until the sauce boils for five minutes. Remove from flame and add butterine bit by bit until it is absorbed. Add salt and pepper.

Variations of this sauce may be made by adding a chopped hard cooked egg or a canned pimento finely chopped. Chopped parsley also makes pleasing variations. A little paprika or tablespoon of grated cheese will give further variety.

Hollandaise sauce proper is rather expensive for most housewives, but war style Hollandaise that is sure to please may be made with drawn butter as a basis. After drawn butter is removed from the flame stir into it quickly a beaten egg. There is sufficient heat in the sauce to cook the egg. And just before serving add the strained juice of half a lemon while beating vigorously.

If you have a small family you will probably not wish to buy and boil a whole fish.

Get a thick slice of cod or halibut or any other seasonable fish. Tie it in a piece of cheesecloth and lower into a pot of boiling water to which vinegar has been added. From two to four tablespoons of vinegar will be needed. Toward the end of the cooking add one tablespoonful of salt.

The fish is done when the flesh separates from the bones, and this doesn't take very long.

Before serving remove skin and bones. Warm a platter, put the edible portion of the fish on it, pour over the fish a sauce and garnish with sprigs of parsley and slices of lemon dusted with paprika.

These sauces will be found very much cheaper than the usual tomato sauce at the present price of canned tomatoes.

I shall be glad to hear from readers desiring more information about cooking and serving fish.

The Hostess in Business

SOLVING A PROBLEM FOR WOMEN EXECUTIVES

By Eleanor Gilbert

Author "The Ambitious Woman in Business."

"MAN-WOMAN equality meets its Waterloo at luncheon time," disgustedly exclaimed the brisk young woman executive. "Why do you suppose the president of our company refused to promote me to the full-fledged sales managership, salary, title and all? Simply and only because, being a woman, I could not extend the usual courtesies to our out-of-town customers when they called!"

"Silly? There's a stronger word for it when he declares firmly that he doesn't know a man who could fill the job better than I could and boldly states that the only embarrassment is the fact that I can't invite a visiting client to lunch or dine with me and then publicly reflect on said customer's chivalry by paying the check! Worst of all, I had to admit that I couldn't carry off the scene with any poise—that is, not until practice had made me adept in the gentle art of [illegible] a check in the restaurant, paying it to an amused waiter while my masculine guest sat by helplessly shocked and annoyed."

"And you let a perfectly good job go begging just for that!" exclaimed the audience to her tale of woe. "Playing host is not at all unusual, and it's perfectly good form if you do it properly." Forthwith came a recital of "how it was done" by sundry of the modern damsels present.

In the first place, why should it be at all embarrassing to foot the bill for a guest's entertainment? Were it possible to entertain Mr. Out-of-Town buyer at her home the modern woman executive would feel no embarrassment whatever at bearing the expense of even an elaborate dinner.

"What is it, then, that makes the entertaining embarrassing?" Simply the fact that the woman who publicly pays for a man companion's entertainment flies in the face of that benevolent convention which ordains that man shall bear woman's expenses. The discomfiture to the man is the publicity. Therefore eliminate the publicity and all goes well.

It's a delightfully simple matter to entertain a business man at a luncheon or dinner if one is a member of a club which affords these privileges. Then there's no problem. Otherwise there are several other graceful expedients.

One large metropolitan firm employing a few women executives has a regular account at one certain hotel. When it is necessary that one of these women invite a visiting client to luncheon or dinner this particular restaurant is patronized just as though it were a club. No bill at all is presented, as the waiter receives his instructions beforehand at the time the business woman telephones and reserves a table. She can deftly and unobtrusively leave the tip for the waiter. Next day the bill is mailed to the office of the firm and promptly paid.

A Single Application Banishes Every Hair

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Here is how any woman can easily and quickly remove objectionable, hairy growths without possible injury to the skin: Make a paste with some powdered delatone and water, apply to hairy surface and after 2 or 3 minutes rub off, wash the skin and the hairs are gone. This is a painless, inexpensive method and, excepting where the growth is unusually thick, a single application is enough. You should, however, be careful to get genuine delatone.—Advertisement.

What Fools These Mortals Be

By NELL BRINKLEY

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A Song That Reaches All Hearts

By Beatrice Fairfax

IN all the world of emotion there is nothing more beautiful than mother-love.

Love is the greatest force in the world and the child is the glorious inspiration of that force. The tenderness of mother for child has been the theme of poets through all the ages.

The love of a mother for her son—the love of a lad for the little mother who bore him, these are the most beautiful, gallant things in all the world.

So when anyone writes a song celebrating the glory and tenderness of the love between mother and son he writes his way straight into the heart.

"Some One Is Waiting for You" paints a picture of life as it is today. The colors are laid on with realism and yet there is a veil of beautiful softening mystery and romance over all of it.

I wish every boy and girl—and older boys and girls, mothers and fathers—might come to know that song.

Wonderful Sacrifices

"Some One Is Waiting for You" gently and tenderly reminds one of the wonderful sacrifice the mothers are making when, bravely and sweetly, heads high, eyes wide, with gallant tears unshed, lips tortured into a smile, they send their boys out to give their best to a world in sore need of brave men. The courage of those brave men is inspired and inherited from the army of gallant women who sent them.

The boys must not forget that—

"Some one is waiting for some one she loves,
Tho' some one is far, far away;
She gave him up for the cause she thought right,
With a broken heart now she must pay.
When 'All's said and done,' and the fighting is through,
Remember that she fought as bravely as you;
Or then just a prayer, when it's all over there,
For some one who's waiting for you."

Remember "THAT SHE FOUGHT AS BRAVELY AS YOU."

Somehow that line seems to me to echo the whole spirit of the trenches. They tell me that in great hospitals Over-There, when men are sorely wounded, dying perhaps, there is one word they breathe over and over as reverently as prayer—one word the boys cry smilingly when they are coming back to health, one word they gasp softly as they "Go West," the trench expression for the long journey from which there is no return to this world.

I think the boys do remember how bravely mother hearts endured their good-bys. I think they fight to be worthy of that farewell or of the glorious return from a battle well fought.

"Some one is waiting for you." Lonely boys in strange camps have written me again and again that the one thing they cannot endure is the fact that they are alone in the world and that there is no one to be proud if they fight bravely, no one to grieve if they fall.

In the name of the Great Spirit of Motherhood I call out to those boys that "some one is waiting for them." I am proud to feel a little of that devotion and yearning for all lonely boys which their own mothers feel for the happy lads who have indeed the right "some one" waiting for them.

There is a beautiful promise in the song. The promise is one of understanding and true affection between the older generation and the younger. Modern circumstances have driven them apart. Changing customs have estranged them. New worlds and new ways of living have taught them to speak languages unknown to each other. And now a common foe to be fought, a common victory to be won, a tragedy to be endured together has brought parents and children close again to each other's hearts.

Left All Alone

Many a lad over in the trenches sits 'picturing the chair by the old fireside and the mother who is left all alone.' Many a lad remembers how

"When but a child she kept watch over you,
And dreamed what a man you would be."

Because his mother expects him to fight bravely and die bravely, because she is ready to make the supreme sacrifice, the boy himself faces life or death with dauntless courage.

"Some One Is Waiting for You" carries in its beautiful words and touching music one of the most thrilling and tender, true and thoughtful messages of the war.

The Hidden Hand

A Wonderful Serial by ARTHUR B. REEVE

EPISODE 13.

"The Tiger's Jaws"

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AS he entered, at the top of the stairs he caught sight of Doris borne by the Hidden Hand. He leaped up the stairs, two at a time. The other emissary rushed at him and Ramsay repeated his performance of flinging this fellow, too, over his head and down the stairs, though at the same time it threw Ramsay prone on the floor.

Before Ramsay could recover himself the Hidden Hand dropped Doris and rushed at him, at the same time extending the terrible gauntlet of death, preparing to discharge the deadly gas.

There was no time to pick himself up, but Ramsay doubled up his feet and struck out with all his athletic force, catching the Hidden Hand full in the stomach and knocking him against the rail, just as the deadly gas was discharged. Over the rail and down reeled the Hidden Hand, landing with a groan beside his henchman.

Pick Doris Up

Ramsay paused only long enough to lift Doris to her feet, but at that instant the other emissaries had run in, picked up their master and made off.

"Quick," urged Doris, and the two darted down after them.

But it was too late. The gang had rejoined Verda, who had made her way outside, and they were off in a limousine.

"Too bad," murmured Doris, as she reached into her breast. "They've escaped, but I have the locket still safe."

It was the following day that, in her Temple of the Occult, which she had established in New York, the Yoga Rahnee sat in her seance room.

Her Hindu attendant entered and bowed low obeisance.

"One calling himself the Hidden Hand desires to consult thee, oh, Powerful One," he muttered in strange dialect.

The Yoga Rahnee started with surprise, as though she had heard the name, but betrayed nothing more.

"Admit him," she signed.

The Hindoo backed away and threw open the doors from a reception room beyond.

From this room entered Verda and the Hidden Hand, bent on a mission which her master had only partly divulged to her.

Stared Curiously

Verda stared curiously. There was an imposing woman of well preserved middle age seated on a throne, arrayed in rich robes of the Orient. To the right was a cabinet such as mediums employ. To the left was a tall clock which ticked impressively.

To Be Continued Tomorrow.

Their Married Life

A NARRATIVE OF EVERYDAY AFFAIRS

Helen Doesn't Feel Well and Warren Shows That He Really Has Some Affection for Her

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"WHAT'S the matter?" queried Warren as the evening wore on. "I feel as though I was suffocating," said Helen, rising in alarm from her chair.

"Well, go to bed and forget about it. You don't want to have one of your sleepless nights."

Helen knew that Warren was right aand though she thought herself too nervous to sleep, sleep came and when she awoke it was morning.

She noticed the queer feeling just before she got up and decided to consult Dr. Bradley without any delay, although she said nothing to Warren about it. Warren himself had completely forgotten about last night's incident.

A cursory examination by the doctor that noon brought out the fact that Helen's heart was not quite normal.

"Nothing at all to worry about, probably the result of an attack of indigestion. Did you eat anything last night?"

"Yes, some cold chicken," Helen confessed, remembering that she and Warren had raided the ice box after coming home from the theatre.

"Well, that shouldn't have done it, but if your system happened to be run down anything would bring it about. Nothing to worry about. Come in to see me again the latter part of the week if you are bothered. Good afternoon."

Long Acquainted

Helen had known Dr. Bradley for a long time and had complete confidence in him. Consequently when she announced that night at the dinner table that Dr. Bradley had said that her heart was not quite normal, she felt that she was entirely justified.

Warren looked up in amazement. "How did you happen to go to the doctor's?"

"Well, Warren, I'm never ill, and this worried me. I didn't want to let it go in case it happened to be anything serious."

"Did the doctor say it was serious?"

"Well, no," Helen was forced to admit. She had not said this at first. She had thought it sounded imposing to tell Warren that Dr. Bradley had said her heart was not quite normal.

"Then he did say it was not anything serious?"

"Yes, he said it was probably caused by indigestion."

"You didn't tell me that at first."

Helen had the grace to blush, but she hastened to add, "You didn't give me time."

"Oh, Helen, you're just like other women, anxious to magnify anything that ails you!" Warren said impatiently.

Helen was just guilty enough to feel that she had no retort to make. It was true that she had no intention of telling Warren, unless he asked her, that Dr. Bradley had said anything about indigestion. Somehow, indigestion sounded so plebeian and commonplace, while even a nervous heart sounded impressive.

Mary brought in the dessert, a particularly delicious kind of prune whip that both Helen and Warren were extremely fond of. Helen, with downcast eyes, began to eat hers slowly, and as Warren dipped his spoon in his he looked across teasingly and remarked:

"Better look out, dear, that stuff is awfully rich: it might make your heart worse."

Helen was forced to laugh at this, but the little hurt that Warren's apparent callousness had caused rankled in her heart. She wondered if she were really very ill how he would act and whether his unconcerned manner would become nervous and worried. Nothing short of a serious illness would ever ruffle that cool manner of his, that superb masculine indifference.

Helen Surprised

Imagine Helen's surprise, then, when, as they rose from the table, he slipped his arm about her and drew her to him.

"I was teasing you, old girl. You know that, don't you? Better go down to the doctor's before the week is out and have him listen to that heart again. There was really nothing that we ate last night to cause a serious attack of indigestion."

Helen throbbed exultantly. He did care; he did! She hadn't told him a thing about Dr. Bradley's asking her to come and consult him again. Therefore Warren was really concerned about the seriousness of the attack. How glad she was that she hadn't entirely misjudged him!

To Be Continued.

Puss in Boots Jr.

By David Cory

IN the last story we left little Puss Junior and Mr. Ulysses on a raft which they hado made out of the wreck of their good ship, you remember. But, oh, dear me! Another storm came up, and if a kind-hearted sea nymph hadn't swam up and given Mr. Ulysses a magic girdle to bind around the planks he and Puss would have been drowned, and this would have been the last of the Puss Junior stories.

Well, by and by, a kind wind blew them to a land where the people were skilful sailors, and their ships flew as swiftly as birds and needed no pilots, for they knew every port and steered themselves.

But Mr. Ulysses was so weary that as soon as he set foot upon shore he lay down to sleep, and while he lay there little Puss walked off for some distance to look about him, and suddenly he came upon a lovely princess with a band of maidens. They were standing near a fountain, and the princess was singing a beautiful song—

I dreamed that over the stormy sea
A warrior bold came sailing to me;
His eyes were bright with the light of truth,
And his arm was strong with the might of youth.
And by his side was a brave little cat
With a flaming gold feather in his hat.

Puss waited until she had finished her song, and then he jumped from behind the tree where he had been hiding, and the lovely princess gave a little scream and started to run away.

"Don't go!" cried Puss, "for my friend, Mr. Ulysses, is asleep on the shore, weary with a long voyage." And then he told them all the troubles that had befallen Mr. Ulysses and himself. And the lovely princess was so grieved over their misfortunes that she asked Puss to bring Mr. Ulysses to her father's estate.

So Puss returned to the shore and awoke Mr. Ulysses and brought him back to the princess, who then led them to her father's castle. And when the King heard their story, he promised to give Mr. Ulysses a ship to carry him home.

And then the princess rose and said: "My King and noble father, but lately I read in a story book about a cat who brought fame and riches to his master. And the name of this cat was Puss in Boots. He is here with us today," and she walked across the great hall and took little Puss Junior by the paw and led him over to the throne.

Puss bowed very low and said: "What your lovely daughter says is partly true. I am the son of that famous cat."

"He has been a good comrade to me," cried Mr. Ulysses, "for without his aid I should have perished." And in the next story you shall hear how Mr. Ulysses and little Puss Junior once more set sail upon the ocean deep and wide.

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To Be Continued.

Men and Women

A little girl wrote the following composition on men—"Men are what women marry. They drink and smoke, but don't go to church. Perhaps if they wore bonnets they would. They are more logical than women, also more zoological. Both men and women sprang from monkeys, but the women sprang farther than the men!"

WHY SOCIETY WOMEN WASH THEIR OWN HAIR

They do, not because it is a fad, but because they wish to obtain the greatest possible hair beauty and be sure they are not using anything harmful. They have found that in washing the hair it is never wise to use a makeshift, but is always advisable to use a preparation made for shampooing only. Many of our friends say they get the best results from a simple home-made Canthrox mixture. You can use this at a cost of about 3 cents a shampoo by getting some Canthrox from your druggist and dissolving a teaspoonful in a cup of hot water. This makes enough shampoo liquid to apply to all the hair instead of just the top of the head, as with most preparations. Dandruff, excess oil and dirt are dissolved and entirely disappear in the rinsing water. Your hair will be so fluffy that it will look much heavier than it is. Its lustre and softness will also delight you.—Advertisement.

Krazy Kat

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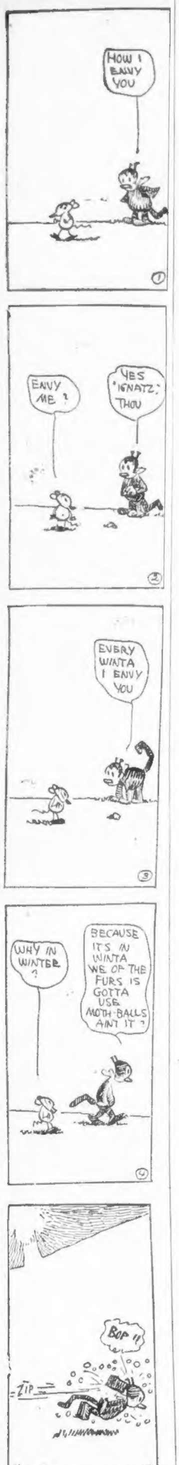
HOW I ENVY YOU
①
ENVY ME?
YES "IGNATZ," THOU
②
EVERY WINTA I ENVY YOU
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WHY IN WINTER?
BECAUSE IT'S IN WINTA WE OF THE FURS IS GOTTA USE MOTH-BALLS AIN'T IT?
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ZIP
BOP!!
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Kabibble Kabaret

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DEAR MR. KABIBBLE,
WHAT IS YOUR IDEA OF A MODEL HUSBAND?
— FRANCES ARMHAUS

A MAN THAT WILL SHAVE EVERY DAY, EVEN AFTER MARRIAGE

BARON BEAN

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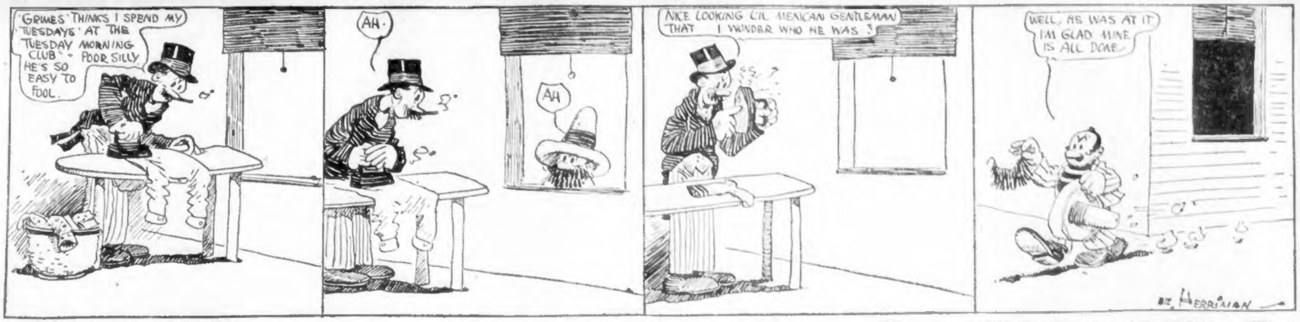
Grimes, the Man of a Thousand Whiskers


"GRIMES" THINKS I SPEND MY TUESDAYS AT THE "TUESDAY MORNING CLUB" - POOR SILLY HE'S SO EASY TO FOOL.
AH.
AH
NICE LOOKING OL' MEXICAN GENTLEMAN THAT - I WONDER WHO HE WAS?
WELL, HE WAS AT IT I'M GLAD MINE IS ALL DONE.
BY HERRIMAN

ABIE THE AGENT

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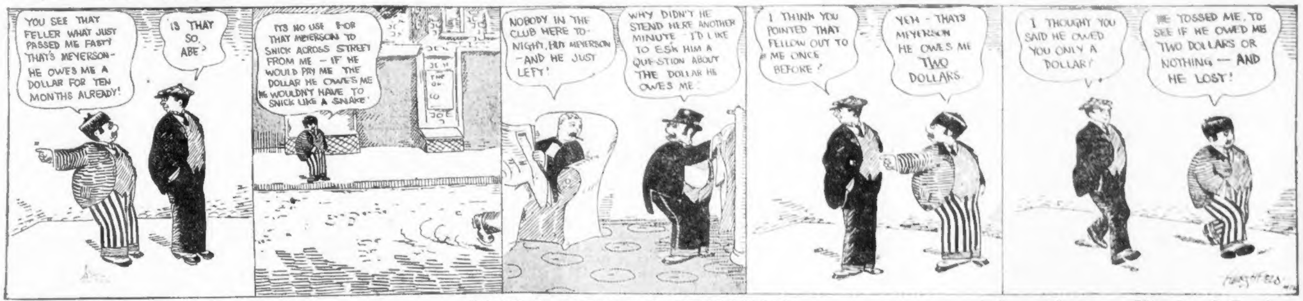
Meyerson Might Just as Well Have Won


YOU SEE THAT FELLER WHAT JUST PASSED ME FAST? THAT'S MEYERSON - HE OWES ME A DOLLAR FOR TEN MONTHS ALREADY!
IS THAT SO, ABE?
ITS NO USE FOR THAT MEYERSON TO SNICK ACROSS STREET FROM ME - IF HE WOULD PAY ME THE DOLLAR HE OWES ME HE WOULDN'T HAVE TO SNICK LIKE A SNAKE.
NOBODY IN THE CLUB HERE TO-NIGHT, BUT MEYERSON - AND HE JUST LEFT!
WHY DIDN'T HE STEND HERE ANOTHER MINUTE - I'D LIKE TO ESK HIM A QUESTION ABOUT THE DOLLAR HE OWES ME.
I THINK YOU POINTED THAT FELLOW OUT TO ME ONCE BEFORE?
YEH - THAT'S MEYERSON HE OWES ME TWO DOLLARS.
I THOUGHT YOU SAID HE OWED YOU ONLY A DOLLAR?
HE TOSSED ME, TO SEE IF HE OWED ME TWO DOLLARS OR NOTHING — AND HE LOST!
HERSHFIELD

POLLY AND HER PALS

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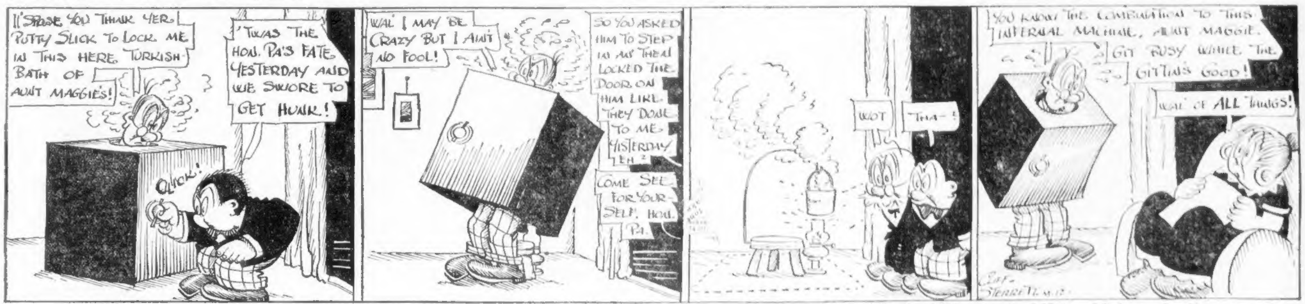
Ashur Shows a Flash of Genius


I'SPOSE YOU THUNK YER PUTTY SLICK TO LOCK ME IN THIS HERE TURKISH BATH OF AUNT MAGGIE'S!
'TWAS THE HON. PA'S FATE YESTERDAY AND WE SWORE TO GET HUNK!
CLICK!
WAL' I MAY BE CRAZY BUT I AIN'T NO FOOL!
SO YOU ASKED HIM TO STEP IN AN' THEN LOCKED THE DOOR ON HIM LIKE THEY DONE TO ME YISTERDAY, EH?
COME SEE FOR YOURSELF, HON. PA.
WOT
THA-!
YOU KNOW THE COMBINATION TO THIS INFERNAL MACHINE, AUNT MAGGIE.
GIT BUSY WHILE THE GITTIN'S GOOD!
WAL' OF ALL THINGS!
CLIFF STERRETT M.12

US BOYS

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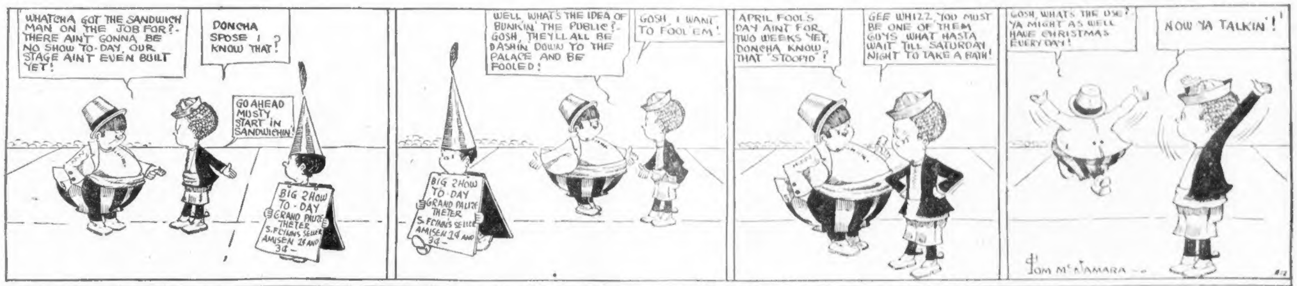
Shrimp Wouldn't Object at All to Skinny's Suggestion


WHATCHA GOT THE SANDWICH MAN ON THE JOB FOR? - THERE AIN'T GONNA BE NO SHOW TO-DAY, OUR STAGE AIN'T EVEN BUILT YET!
DONCHA SPOSE I KNOW THAT?
GO AHEAD MUSTY START IN SANDWICHIN'!
BIG 2HOW TO-DAY GRAND PALIZE THETER S. FCYNNS SELLER AMISEN 2¢ AND 3¢ -
WELL WHAT'S THE IDEA OF BUNKIN' THE PUBLIC? - GOSH, THEY'LL ALL BE DASHIN' DOWN TO THE PALACE AND BE FOOLED!
GOSH, I WANT TO FOOL 'EM!
BIG 2HOW TO-DAY GRAND PALIZE THETER S. FCYNNS SELLER AMISEN 2¢ AND 3¢ -
APRIL FOOL'S DAY AIN'T FOR TWO WEEKS YET, DONCHA KNOW THAT "STOOPID"?
GEE WHIZZ, YOU MUST BE ONE OF THEM GUYS WHAT HASTA WAIT TILL SATURDAY NIGHT TO TAKE A BATH!
GOSH, WHAT'S THE USE? YA MIGHT AS WELL HAVE CHRISTMAS EVERY DAY!
NOW YA TALKIN'!
TOM McNAMARA 3-12

GOAT GRABBERS
SI LENT, THE GINK WHO NEVER SAYS A WORD ——
ILLUSTRATION BY J. RUBIN —
S.H.

WELL KNOWN SAYINGS ILLUSTRATED BY RIDLEY, OF "NEW JOISY"
PROUD POP
ARE MY LIPS ON STRAIGHT?

Answer to Yesterday's Whoozee!

WHY IS A TEAR SHED IN SECRET LIKE A VESSEL OF WAR? BECAUSE IT IS A PRIVATE TEAR (PRIVATEER)

HOW THRILLING!

FROM L.U.T., —— U. S. A.

WHAT RING IS NOT ROUND?

ANSWER TO-MORROW

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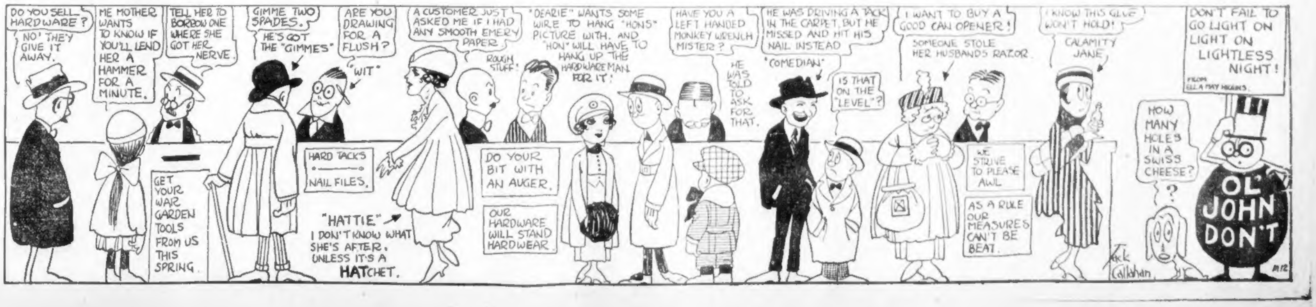
We Nailed This Along the Hardware Counter


DO YOU SELL HARDWARE?
NO! THEY GIVE IT AWAY.
ME MOTHER WANTS TO KNOW IF YOU'LL LEND HER A HAMMER FOR A MINUTE.
TELL HER TO BORROW ONE WHERE SHE GOT HER NERVE.
GET YOUR WAR GARDEN TOOLS FROM US THIS SPRING
GIMME TWO SPADES.
HE'S GOT THE "GIMMES"
ARE YOU DRAWING FOR A FLUSH?
"WIT"
HARD TACKS — NAIL FILES.
A CUSTOMER JUST ASKED ME IF I HAD ANY SMOOTH EMERY PAPER.
ROUGH STUFF!
"HATTIE"
I DON'T KNOW WHAT SHE'S AFTER, UNLESS IT'S A HATCHET.
"DEARIE" WANTS SOME WIRE TO HANG "HON'S" PICTURE WITH, AND "HON" WILL HAVE TO HANG UP THE HARDWARE MAN FOR IT!
DO YOUR BIT WITH AN AUGER.
OUR HARDWARE WILL STAND HARDWEAR
HAVE YOU A LEFT HANDED MONKEY WRENCH MISTER?
HE WAS TOLD TO ASK FOR THAT.
HE WAS DRIVING A TACK IN THE CARPET, BUT HE MISSED AND HIT HIS NAIL INSTEAD
"COMEDIAN"
IS THAT ON THE "LEVEL"?
I WANT TO BUY A GOOD CAN OPENER!
SOMEONE STOLE HER HUSBANDS RAZOR.
WE STRIVE TO PLEASE AWL
AS A RULE OUR MEASURES CAN'T BE BEAT.
I KNOW THIS GLUE WON'T HOLD!
CALAMITY JANE
HOW MANY HOLES IN A SWISS CHEESE?
?
DON'T FAIL TO GO LIGHT ON LIGHT ON LIGHTLESS NIGHT!
FROM ELLA MAY HIGGINS
OL' JOHN DON'T
Jack Callahan
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FINED $50 AND HIS GUN CONFISCATED

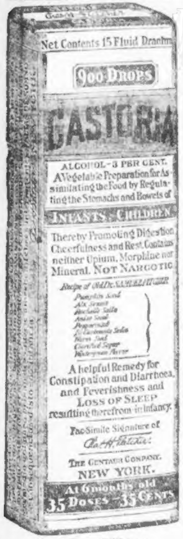
Walter Tripadus, 22 years old, of Germain avenue, Quincy, was in the Quincy Court today arraigned with carrying a loaded revolver without a permit. He was fined $50 and had his revolver confiscated. He refused to state why he carried the revolver, but his brother said that he carried it to kill a cat.

MOLASSES AND SUGAR SHIPS HERE

One cargo of sugar and one of molasses, the former aggregating 7,000,000 pounds and the latter 300,000 gallons, arrived in this port today. The sugar was consigned to the American Sugar Refinery. The molasses is being pumped out at the East Boston docks and will be used in manufacturing smokeless powder.

V. J. MAYO AND TYPIST ARE REPORTED MARRIED

Stamford, Ct., March 12—Virginius J. Mayo of New Haven and Lois D. [illegible] Waterbury, his former stenographer, have taken out a marriage license after waiting out the five-day period and it is reported that they have been married. No report of the marriage ceremony having been performed has been made, however.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DENY REPORT OF U. S. AID FOR NEW HAVEN

Federal Officials Undecided on Obligations of $45,000,000 Soon to Be Met

By International News Service.

Washington, March 12—Reports that the government would meet maturing obligations of about $45,000,000 of the New York, New Haven & Hartford Railroad were said this afternoon by John Skelton Williams, director of the division of Finance of the railroad administration, to be incorrect. Mr. Williams issued a statement in which he said:

"Director General McAdoo authorizes me to say that newspaper reports to the effect that the railroad administration has stated that the New Haven's obligations of about $45,000,000, maturing shortly, have been or would be provided for by the government, are incorrect.

"While it is hoped that the road may find some way to protect its obligations, no decision has as yet been reached by the government as to the extent, if any, to which it may extend aid to the system. The subject is now under consideration and as soon as a decision is reached, official announcement will be made."

LIEUT. TONER APPOINTED TO INSTRUCT OFFICERS

Camp Devens, Ayer, March 12—First Lieutenant William Toner of Melrose has been appointed an assistant instructor at the Third Officers' Training School, according to an announcement made at division headquarters today. Lieutenant Toner is a graduate of the school of fire at Fort Sill, Okla., and is expected to teach map sketching. He is attached to the 301st Machine Gun Battalion.

Lieutenants Joseph Schneider and Grant S. Preston of the Signal Corps, N. A., have been transferred to the Medical Supply Depot. Lieutenant Schneider came here from Atlanta, Ga.

Captains Andrew Drinkwater and Paul R. Andrews of the 151st Field Artillery brigade have been sent to the school of fire at Fort Sill.

The [illegible] Girls' Club, an organization comprising fifty-five young Boston women, are coming here on Sunday to stage an afternoon performance at the Liberty Theatre for the benefit of the 317th Field Signal Battalion.

ARMY AND NAVY AMERICAN

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PIER MEN TO ATTEND N. Y. SCHOOL

Seven Will Be Sent Each to Train for Advanced Ratings

By Paul Whelton

Aboard the Receiving Ship, Commonwealth Pier, Mar. 12.—Seven men will be sent each week from the First Naval District to the Officers' Material school, Naval Auxiliary Reserve at New York city, according to an announcement made aboard ship. This furnishes but one more opportunity for the men of the First Naval District to boost their ratings in the service.

The seven men composing the weekly quota will be sent from this district on each Tuesday of the week. The names will be selected from the eligible list of officers' material maintained at the office of the eligibility board of this district. This list is maintained as a result of examinations held recently among many candidates.

In order to be eligible as one of the weekly quota of seven a man must first qualify by being certified by the commanding officer of the eligibility board.

He must have an education equivalent to the completion of a high school course in which was included a good study of trigonometry and logarithms.

The candidate, further, must be physically qualified for the rank of an officer of the line and must be enrolled in the regular navy, National Naval Volunteers, or Naval Reserve Force. He on deck duties, afloat or at must have had active service a training station, for at least two months.

Candidates from twenty-one to thirty years of age eligible are eligible.

BUMKIN ISLAND NAVAL NEWS

A warm battle is anticipated on the basketball floor between the Postoffice five and the quintet from the Ship's Writers Office. The Postoffice team recently issued a challenge to any aggregation its equal in good looks, and Looey Young of the Ship's Writers grabbed up the gauntlet in mid-air.

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More than 300 men are at present taking advantage of the various educational courses being conducted at this station. Classes have been formed in all academic subjects.

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"[illegible] otes," a new kind of a[illegible] the fruit of the ingenuity of Ship's Baker Hasadurian, is going "big" at Bumkin. Second helpings are in vogue.

STUDENTS BEGIN HARD WORK AT AYER

Student Officers at Devens Start Intensive Out-Door Program

By WILLIAM FLYNN.

Camp Devens, Ayer, March 12.—The candidates attending the third officers' training school went into the trenches today and received their first course in pratical trench fighting from an officer's standpoint. They marched to trenches from their barracks, carrying their meals, which they were scheduled to eat in the open. The plans called for an all-day "battle."

Today's activities marked the real beginning of the practical side of the candidates' training, and from now until graduation most of the instruction is expected to be out of doors, under conditions as near those on the battlefields of Europe as possible.

A course in court-martials is being conducted by Lieutenant-Colonel E. K. Massee, division judge-advocate, in the Liberty Theatre, where the mock trials have proved of much value to the men. Lieutenant-Colonel M. N. Falls and the other officers who are acting as instructors at the school are taking a "monkey drill" course in gymnastics similar to that given to the candidates.

The strain is commencing to tell upon the candidates, and practically all of them are wondering if they are going to get through. From now until the finish it will simmer down to a "survival of the fittest." Those who are in danger of flunking either have been, or will be, warned that they are slipping, and will be given an opportunity to catch up in their work. The prospect of parading before the people of Boston on April 19 has been received with joy by most of the candidates, and the idea has met with much favor among the superior officers at this cantonment.

Captain Henry B. Briggs, adjutant of the 302nd Infantry, is conducting a school for the officers and clerks in the headquarters outfit of his regiment. He is giving them a series of lectures on army regulations and matters of a similar nature. This idea is expected to be adopted by adjutants of other regiments in camp, as it is proving a benefit to the headquarters staff.

Work on the new buildings to be added to the base hospital has already begun. Five hundred workmen have arrived here and more are coming every day.

Barracks are to be erected for the workmen, who are now temporarily sleeping in what was the soldiers' own theatre, conducted by Major Reginald Barlow, and eating in the old central restaurant.

JEALOUSY

THE GIRLS ARE DOING ALL THE MEN'S WORK
WHELTON

EDITORIAL

The 76th division has more futures than the proverbial cat has lives, if the reports in circulation about Camp Devens are to be believed. One day it is going to France. The next day it isn't. On some other day it is going to be disbanded and another day it is going to be filled to its fighting strength.

The latest report is that it is destined to be one of six divisions throughout the country to be used solely as training divisions to replace depleted units over seas. This is as good as the other rumors, for if anybody in the world really knows what is to be done with the division it has remained an official secret.

The pluck and fighting spirit of the young officers in the depot brigade are to be admired.

There is hardly one of them but who wants to be transferred to some unit which has at least a chance of doing some fighting.

The thing they fear the most is that after the war somebody will say to them, "You fought all your battles at Camp Devens."

MILITARY NOTES

Colonel Warren P. Newcomb has assumed his duties as temporary chief of staff in the Department of the Northeast, and appointed Field Clerk Frank A. Stacey, expert stenographer, his private secretary.

NAVAL NOTES

Sailors aboard the "SC-265" who have been trying to round up a mascot for their boat, have been so far unsuccessful in their quest. Anyone desirous of playing the role of the Good Samaritan wil kindly step forward with their would-be mascot.

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The spectacle of a beautiful Hawaiian dancer, clad in her native breakfast food garb, dark-skinned and full ruddy lipped, emerging from the boxers' dressing-room, nearly upset the morale of the Receiving Ship at the recent holiday bouts. With eyes nearly popping from their heads the astonished sailors watched the dancer perform the intricate dance of the South Sea island. Albert H. Zass of the U. S. S. Bridgeport, when he unmasked and doffed his wig, had fooled them all.

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The now frequent "drafts" are removing considerable musical, stage and athletic talent from the pier ship. The latest "among those missing" contains the names of Al. Shapiro, "the piano phiend himself," and Wholley, Clark and Overlan of the basketball team.

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Paul Oberkoffler, the seventeen-year-old boxing phenom of the receiving ship, is beginning to draw the close scrutiny of professional boxing men in and around Boston. Under the watchful eye of Instructor "Eddie" Murphy and Trainer "Bill" Flynn, young Oberkoffler has advanced to the point where he is qualified and willing to meet all comers in the 122-pound class. He is a native of Pittsburgh.

DEFICIENT MEN HAMPER UNITS AT DEVENS

Domenico Zaccardi, 4 Feet 9 Inches, Camp Midget, Discharged

By William Flynn.

Camp Devens, March 12.—The shortest man in the cantonment has been discharged from the service. He is Domenico Zoccardi of Geneva, N. Y., a member of the Twenty-fifth Company, 151st Depot Brigade, who came here in the last 15 per cent. quota of the first draft.

Zoccardi is only four feet nine inches tall, four inches short of the required height in the army, and how he came to be passed by his local draft board is a mystery that is puzzling officials here. He had been in the army less than two weeks and his superior officers were wondering what they were going to do with him. The available uniforms were all too big for him and it was finally agreed the army was not the place for him anyway.

News of Zoccardi's discharge was received with regret by the other drafted men in his company as he was popular with his comrades. He was nicknamed "Shorty" the day he arrived and he was "Shorty" when he left.

Practically every unit in the cantonment has one or more men who are only a handicap to the outfits to which they are attached. Some of these are men whose physical condition is not equal to the demands of a soldier's life and the others do not possess sufficient mentality to absorb the instruction given them by their superiors.

There is a story about Corporal Joseph Moriarty of Charlestown that is getting a laugh all over camp today.

"Joe" is attached to Battery C of the 301st Field Artillery and the men of that outfit have been accustomed to wearing their overcoats during the morning calisthenic drill.

"Joe" was late getting up but he answered the drill call with the rest of the men. Lieutenant F. A. Ballou, Jr., who was conducting the drill, ordered the men to take off their overcoats. "Joe" obeyed the command and a roar of laughter went up from his comrades. "Joe" was bare from the waist up. He did not have time to finish his toilet before the drill call came, but he obeyed orders and got out of it lightly.

Peter McLaughlin of the Supply Company, 303rd Field Artillery, died at the Base Hospital from pneumonia after an illness of four days. His body will be sent to his relatives in Nashua, N. H., today.

AUTO OWNERS TO PROTEST PLAN RAISING TAX

By C. F. DONNOCKER.

There will be a hearing on the supertax on motor cars tomorrow at the State House and it is to be hoped that the motorists will have a large delegation present to protest against this excessive form of class taxation.

The automobilists of the Commonwealth are ready and willing to come to the support of the government and pay a just tax for the rights of the highways of the State but they cannot see why every user of the roads should not be made to pay a share also. The motorists now pay for a driving license, a registration fee, a property tax and a Federal tax on new cars, which is in excess of the taxes levied by other States on their automobile owners.

The tax in question, which comes up for hearing Wednesday, would add $5 to the fee of those now paying $15, and $10 to those paying more than $15. The driving license will be $4 instead of $2. Motorcycles will be taxed $1 (against which there should be no protest) and the first five cars of each dealer $5 each. Trucks are to be taxed $2.50 a ton.

A bill to tax trucks $10 a ton came up before the Committee on Roads and Bridges a few weeks ago and strenuous opposition by the motor car fraternity was heard from. The truck industry is a thriving, comparatively new business and one which is destined to be one of the largest in the country, and it seems unnecessary to burden it with excessive taxes, especially when it was stated that the money received from such a levy was not needed at the present but might be in the future.

The motor truck industry is doing yeoman service for the government by releasing numbers of freight cars and engines which the government is so sadly in need of, and yet someone conceived the brilliant idea of hampering it all they could and preventing people from buying more trucks by imposing an unheard of rate of taxation.

The automobilists of this State are doing a great deal toward financing the expenses of our Commonwealth, as is shown by the receipts of the Massachusetts Highway Commission. On Thursday last the receipts had reached the million dollar mark.

Last year this total was not reached until March 25. The department is taking in now more than $10,000 a day, and with fifteen working days to go the March receipts may exceed those of a year ago by $150,000.

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Opinions of Dr. Ferdinand King, New York Physician and Medical Author; Dr. James Francis Sullivan, formerly Physician of Bellevue Hospital (Outdoor Dept.), New York, and the Westchester County Hospital; Former Health Commissioner Wm. R. Kerr, of the City of Chicago and others.

What Senator Mason Says

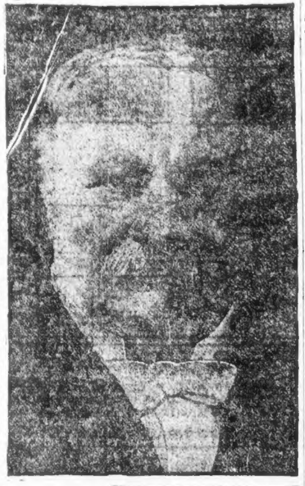
CHICAGO, ILL.

GENTLEMEN:

I have often said I would never recommend medicine of any kind. I believe that the doctor's place. However, after the hardest political campaign of my life, without a chance for a vacation, I had been starting to court every morning with that horrible tired feeling one cannot describe. I was advised to try Nuxated Iron. As a pioneer in the pure food and drug legislation, I was at first loath to try an advertised remedy, but after advising with my medical friends I gave it a test. The results have been so beneficial in my own case I made up my mind to let my friends know about it, and you are at liberty to publish this statement if you so desire. I am now 65 years of age, and I feel that a remedy which will build up the strength and increase the power of endurance of one at my age should be known to the world.

Yours very truly,

Wm. E. Mason



Senator Mason's statement in regard to Nuxated Iron was shown to several physicians who were requested to give their opinions thereon.

Dr. Ferdinand King, a New York Physician and Medical Author said: "I heartily indorse Senator Mason's statement in regard to Nuxated Iron. There can be no vigorous iron men without iron. Pallor means anaemia. Anaemia means iron deficiency. The skin of anaemic men and women is pale, the flesh flabby, the muscles lack tone, the brain fags, and the memory fails, and often they become weak, nervous, despondent and melancholy."

Dr. James Francis Sullivan, formerly Physician of Bellevue Hospital (Outdoor Dept.), New York, and the Westchester County Hospital, said: "Senator Mason is to be commended on handing out this statement on Nuxated Iron for public print. There are thousands of men and women who need a strength and blood builder, but do not know what to take. In my own opinion there is nothing better than organic iron—Nuxated Iron—for enriching the blood and helping to increase the strength and endurance of men and women who burn up too rapidly their nervous energy in the strenuous strain of the great business competition of the day."

Former Health Commissioner Wm. R. Kerr, of the City of Chicago, says: "I have taken Nuxated Iron myself and experienced its health-giving and strength-building effect, and in the interest of the public welfare I feel it my duty to make known the results of its use. I am well past my threescore years, and want to say that I believe my own great physical activity is largely due today to my personal use of Nuxated Iron. From my own experience with Nuxated Iron I feel it is such a valuable remedy that it ought to be used in every hospital and prescribed by every physician in this country."

Dr. E. Sauer, a Boston physician who has studied abroad in great European Medical institutions, said: "Senator Mason is right. As I have said a hundred times over, I regard organic iron one of the greatest of all strength builders.

"Iron is absolutely necessary to enable your blood to change your food into living tissue. Without it, no matter how much or what you eat, your food merely passes through you without doing you any good. You don't get the strength out of it, and as a consequence you become weak, pale and sickly looking, just like a plant trying to grow in a soil deficient in iron."

Dr. Schuyler C. Jaques, Visiting Surgeon of St. Elizabeth's Hospital, New York City, said: "I have never before given out any medical information or advice for publication, as I ordinarily do not believe in it. But in the case of Nuxated Iron I feel I would be remiss in my duty not to mention it. I have taken it myself and given it to my patients with most surprising results. And those who wish quickly to increase their strength, power and endurance will find it a most remarkable and wonderfully effective remedy."

From the Congressional Directory published by the United States Government—"Wm. E. Mason, Senator from Illinois, was elected to the 50th Congress in 1887, to the 51st Congress in 1891—defeated for the 52nd Congress 1892—Elected Senator to the 55th Congress 1897 to 1903."

Senator Mason is now Congressman from the State of Illinois.

Senator Mason's championship of Pure Food and Drugs legislation, his fight for the rural free delivery system, and his strong advocacy of all bills favoring labor and the rights of the masses as against trusts and combines make him a national figure at Washington and endeared him to the hearts of the working man and the great masses of people throughout the United States. Senator Mason has the distinction of being one of the really big men of the nation. His strong endorsement of Nuxated Iron must convince any intelligent thinking reader that it must be a preparation of very great merit and one which the Senator feels is bound to be of great value to the masses of people everywhere, otherwise he could not afford to lend his name to it especially after his strong advocacy of pure food and drugs legislation.

NOTE—Nuxated Iron which was used by Senator Mason with such surprising results, and which is prescribed and recommended above by physicians, is not a secret remedy, but one which is well known to druggists everywhere. Unlike the older inorganic iron products it is easily assimilated and does not injure the teeth, make them black nor upset the stomach. The manufacturers guarantee successful and entirely satisfactory results to every purchaser or they will refund your money. It is dispensed by all good druggists.

FINANCIAL

BOSTON STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for leading Boston stocks to 12 o'clock:

	Yesterday's close.	High.	Low.	12.00.
Alaska	2	1⅞	1⅞	1⅞
Allouez	53½	52½	52½	52½
Am. T. & T.	106¼	106½	104⅞	104⅞
Atl. Gulf	112⅝	113½	113½	113½
Boston El.	44	43½	43½	43½
Boston & Maine	24	24	24	24
Cal. Ariz.	71	71½	71½	71½
Davis-Daly	6½	6⅝	6⅝	6⅝
East Butte	9⅝	9¾	9⅝	9¾
Isle Royale	21½	21½	21	21½
Mohawk	62	63	63	63
New Haven	30¼	30¼	30	30
Nipissing	8½	8⅝	8⅝	8⅝
North Butte	15¼	15⅛	15	15
Osceola	59⅞	59	59	59
Pond Creek	20	19⅝	19⅝	19⅝
Shannon	5	5	5	5
Swift & Co	128	128	128	128
Un. Fruit	129⅝	129½	129	129½
Un. Shoe	45⅞	45½	45½	45½
U. S. Smelt	45½	45¼	45¼	45¼
Utah Metal	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝	2⅝
Utah Cons.	11½	11¼	11¼	11¼
Wolverine	29⅝	29½	29½	29½

NEW YORK STOCKS.

Following is the range of prices for leading New York stocks to 12 o'clock:

	Yesterday's close.	High.	Low.	12.00.
Allis-Chalmers	25⅞	26¼	25¾	26
Am. Can	41⅛	41	40⅞	40⅞
Am. Car & Fdy.	77⅛	77⅛	76⅝	76⅝
Am. Locomotive	66½	66½	66	66
Am. Smelting	82	82⅝	81⅝	81⅝
Am. Steel F'dries	66¼	66	66	66
Am. Sumatra	90⅝	93	91	91½
Am. Linseed	32⅞	33¼	32⅞	33
Am. Woolen	54⅞	54⅞	54⅞	54⅞
Anaconda	64⅛	64⅞	64⅝	64½
Atch., T. & S. Fe	85⅛	85⅛	85⅛	85⅛
Atl. Gulf	113⅝	114	113	113½
Baldwin Loco.	78⅝	77⅝	76⅛	76⅛
Balt. & Ohio	55⅛	55⅞	55⅛	55⅛
Beth Steel B	80	81	80⅛	80½
Beth. Steel B pf.	101¼	101½	101⅛	101½
Butte & Sup.	23½	24⅛	23⅝	23⅝
Cent. Leather	71⅞	71	71	71
Ches. & Ohio	59	60⅛	59	59½
Chi. & St. Paul	43⅝	43½	43	43¼
Chi. & R. I.	21⅝	22½	21⅞	22
Chino	41⅛	41⅞	41½	41⅞
Corn Products	35½	36	35⅛	35⅝
Crucible Steel	64½	64½	64	64
Dis. Securities	38⅞	38⅝	38⅞	38⅞
Erie	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛	15⅛
Gen. Electric	139½	139½	139	139
Gen. Motors	128	128⅛	127⅛	127¼
Gt. Northern pf.	91⅝	91⅝	91⅝	91⅝
Gt. Northern Ore.	29⅛	29	28⅞	28⅞
Inspiration	45	45½	45	45⅛
Kennecott	32⅛	32⅝	32⅛	32⅛
Lehigh Valley	62	62½	62	62¼
Mer. Marine	28⅝	29⅝	29⅛	29⅛
Mer. Marine pf.	97⅛	99⅛	97⅛	98⅛
Mex. Petroleum	97½	98⅝	97⅛	97⅛
Midvale Steel	45⅝	45	45	45
Mo. Pacific	23⅞	24½	23⅞	24
N. Y. Central	73⅝	73⅝	73	73
N. Y., N. H. & H.	30⅝	30½	29⅞	29⅝
Nor. & Western	106¼	106⅝	106½	106½
No. Pacific	86⅝	86½	86½	86½
Ohio Gas	39⅝	39½	39	39
Penn. Ry.	45	45	45	45
Pitts. Coal	57	57	56⅞	57
Pitts. & W. Va.	29⅛	29½	29	29
Pressed Steel	64	64	64	64
Ray Cons.	23⅝	23⅝	23½	23⅝
Reading	82⅝	83	81½	81½
Rep. I. & Steel	80½	80⅝	79⅝	79⅝
Sinclair Oil	33⅞	33⅝	33⅝	33⅝
So. Pacific	87⅛	87½	87½	87½
So. Railway	24⅞	25⅛	24⅝	24⅝
Studebaker	46⅝	46	45⅝	45⅝
*Texas Co.	153	151⅛	150½	150½
Tobacco Products	50⅝	50⅞	50⅝	50⅛
Un. Pacific	122	123⅛	122½	122⅝
U. S. I. Alc.	121⅛	122½	121⅛	122
U. S. Rubber	56½	56	56	56
U. S. Steel	91⅞	92½	91⅝	91½
Utah Copper	80⅞	80½	80½	80½
Willys-Overland	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝	18⅝

*Ex-dividend.

LOOT SAFE OF LIBERTY BONDS AND CASH

A safe was broken into and robbed in the offices of the Hub Loan Company on the eleventh floor of the Carney building on Tremont street today by thieves who ransacked the place. The police declared that the "can-opener" method was used by the burglars and that it was the work of professionals.

The bookkeeper told the police that the thieves had obtained $125 in cash, $300 in Liberty Bonds and $50 in War Savings Stamps, which were unregistered. Several bank books in the safe were not disturbed.

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Governor Signs Annuity for Mrs. Reiser

Governor McCall today signed a bill authorizing the city of Boston to pay an annuity of $75 a month to Mrs. Florence R. Reiser, widow of Patrolman Joseph C. Reiser, alleged to have been killed by Harry C. Manster.

The bill will become effective when accepted by Mayor Peters and the City Council. The money will be paid as long as Mrs. Reiser does not marry up to sixteen years. In case of her demise it will be paid to any minor children.

The Governor also signed two other bills, one providing a $50 fine or two months' imprisonment for taking liquor or narcotics to inmates or patients of any public institutions.

The other authorizes the State Department of Health, beginning July 1, 1918, to examine the physical condition of any person committed to any State or county correctional institution for thirty days or more. This is to check the spread of communicable disease.

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REV. SAMUEL H. HILLIARD OF JAMAICA PLAIN DEAD

Rev. Samuel Haven Hilliard of Jamaica Plain, for 25 years secretary of the Church Temperance Society, died today at his home in Jamaica Plain after a short illness. His wife, who died several years ago, was one of the chief owners of the London Standard.

Mr. Hilliard occupied rectorships in many Massachusetts parishes. He was formerly rector of St. George's Church in Lee, and before that he worked among the miners in Pittsburg.

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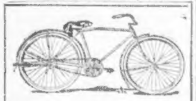

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BRENNAN—In Belmont, March 10, Harriet H. (nee Moody), wife of J. Edward Brennan.
Funeral from her late residence, 63 Bartlett st., Wednesday, March 13, at 8.30. Requiem high mass at the Sacred Heart Church at 9.30 a. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend. Auto cortege.

BUCKLEY—March 10, John, beloved husband of the late Hannah Buckley. High mass of requiem at St. Ann's New Church, Neponset, Wednesday, March 13, at 9 a. m. Auto cortege.
Interment at Old Calvary Cemetery.

BULMER—At the residence of his daughter, Mrs. Margaret Howe (nee Bulmer), 537 Norfolk st., Mattapan, William Lewis Bulmer.
Interment at Moncton, N. B. Moncton papers please copy.

CARTER—In Roslindale, March 11, Ellen M., widow of Rosco A. Carter.
Services at her late residence, 4350 Washington st., Wednesday at 2. Relatives and friends invited.

CHASE—In Allston, March 11, Robert B., infant son of Rosco A. and Laura E. Chase, 1 yr. 4 mos.
Funeral from parents' residence, 78 Easton st., Wednesday, March 13, at 11 o'clock.

CODY—In Charlestown, March 10, Bridget, beloved wife of the late Michael Cody (nee Redmond).
Funeral from her late residence, 12 Cordis st., Wednesday, March 13, at 8.30. Requiem high mass at St. Mary's Church, Warren st., at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends kindly invited.

COOMBES—At the Soldiers' Home, Chelsea, March 8, Samuel A. Coombes, 80 yrs. Past member of Post 56, G. A. R.
Funeral services at the Waterman Chapel, 2328 Washington st., Roxbury, on Tuesday, March 12, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

CURTIN—In Cambridge, March 11, Ellen I., beloved wife of Patrick Curtin and mother of the Rev. Joseph A. Curtin of St. Patrick's Church, Lowell.
Relatives and friends are kindly invited to attend the funeral from her late residence, 2 Newton st., corner of Putnam ave., Thursday, March 14, at 9 a. m. Solemn requiem high mass at the Church of the Blessed Sacrament at 10 o'clock. Kindly omit flowers.

ROLLINS—In this city, March 8, Annie B., 29 yrs., wife of William J. Rollins.
Funeral services at 560 Meridian st., East Boston, Wednesday, March 13, at 2 p. m. Relatives and friends invited. P. E. I. papers please copy.

SAMPSON—In Washington, D. C., March 10, of pneumonia, Emma Louise, wife of E. Harvey Sampson. Requiem high mass at the Holy Trinity Church, Shawmut ave., Wednesday, March 13, at 9 p. m.
Interment at South Duxbury, Mass.

SMITH—In Roslindale, March 11, Mrs. Alice Smith, 72 yrs. 11 mos. Prayers at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. Eugene W. Rollins, 47 Harborne st., Roslindale, Wednesday, March 13, at 2 p. m.
Funeral and burial at North Bregets, Vt.

THURSTON—In Dorchester, March 10, Carrie Matilda, widow of John L. Thurston, 60 yrs.
Funeral from her late residence, 14 Lithgow st., Wednesday, March 13, at 1.30 p. m. Relatives and friends invited.

TREVOR—In East Boston, March 10, Agnes, beloved wife of William Trevor (nee McKenna).
Funeral from her late residence, 539 Chelsea st., Wednesday at 8.15 a. m. Requiem mass at Sacred Heart Church at 9 o'clock. Relatives and friends are respectfully invited to attend.

WALSH—In Somerville, March 11, by accident, Matthew M. Walsh of 14 Olive ave., Somerville.
Funeral notice later.

WHITE—In Waltham, March 11, Mary E. Rice, wife of Harry A. White, 48 yrs.
Funeral services at the residence of her sister, Mrs. H. H. McNamara, 10 Boston ave., West Somerville, Thursday, March 14, at 1 p. m. Relatives and friends invited to attend.

WILLIAMS—At Homeopathic Hospital, March 11, Marion G. Williams.
Notice of funeral later.

WILSON—In Needham, March 9, Hannah, widow of Isaac C. Wilson, 87 yrs. 8 mos. 11 dys.
Funeral services will be held at her late residence, 71 Highland st., Wednesday, March 13 at 10 a. m. Relatives and friends are invited to attend. Portsmouth Times please copy.

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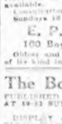

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Cleveland Street Railway's "Service at Cost" Plan

Totally Inapplicable to Boston Elevated Under Private Management, but Highly Desirable With Public Control

Mr. Livy S. Richard, the talented and scholarly editorial writer of the Boston Advertiser, contributes the following information concerning the "service at cost" experiment in the city of Cleveland, with which he became familiar when a resident and an active citizen of Cleveland:

By students of street railway situations the plan in use in Cleveland, O., for "service at cost" is highly regarded, but it is not so good a plan as our Public Service Commission has proposed for the control of the Boston Elevated.

In Cleveland, while the public tells the company what kind of cars it shall run, where it shall run them and how often, the company keeps up its regular corporate organization; there is a double overhead expense, one by the company, one by the city, and there is no incentive for the company to do its best.

For in Cleveland, it will be remembered, the stockholders get their 6 per cent., no matter whether business is good or bad, and their directors have no motive to improve service voluntarily, to study out economies or to plan ways to increase income.

As a mater of fact, these Cleveland representatives of the old system of private ownership, before they became convinced that that system had gone in Cleveland, never to return, were rather inclined to throw sand into the journals.

One of their favorite tricks was to egg the carmen on to make frequent demands for higher wages. They could afford to do this, since they got their 6 per cent., regardless. And it is supposed that they thought the frequent threat of strikes, usually settled by compromises, each one of which put the costs up a little higher, would discredit the plan of public control and pave the way to a return of the times when private profiteers had things pretty much their own way.

It is only fair to say that these Cleveland folk have by now pretty well got this delusion out of their system. But the trouble which a balky horse can make to an inexpert rider is nothing compared to the trouble which a balky street car company can make for public control if the public control leaves it too much slack.

Now the plan which our Public Service Commission has formed to meet the case of the Boston Elevated takes a lesson from the experience of Cleveland.

Under the Boston plan, while there would be no change in the ownership of a single bond or share of stock, in consideration of the stockholders receiving public guarantee of a fixed dividend return, the private owners would turn over all voting power to a board of trustees, to be chosen by the Governor and Mayor, and these trustees, sitting as the new board of directors of the Elevated, would run the road as the agents and servants of the public.

With the State standing behind the plan, no stockholder would need to feel further worry or concern and no stockholder would have any motive to try to create trouble.

Certainly it would be to the advantage of no one among stockholders or management to conspire with outsiders to stir up artificial strikes.

Furthermore, while in Cleveland the executive officials receive orders from the city, they get their salaries by vote from the company, and their allegiance is to the company. No man can truly and well serve two masters at once.

This is averted under the Boston Public Service Commission plan, which places every employe directly under the trustees. Competent men on the company payroll would owe loyalty to the public interest alone, and incompetent or disloyal men could be fired as soon as spotted.

There is a further advantage for the Boston plan in its effect upon the public mind. Private ownership of street railway service in this community today stands discredited. Even when its motives are of the best, it has to run against widespread suspicion and distrust. This is a condition, not a theory. No matter what elements of injustice may enter into it, it is a fact which must be faced. Clearly the best way out is to leave the past to bury its dead and to turn over a new leaf.

By substituting complete public for discredited private control and not trying, as in Cleveland, to patch up any compromise between them, we would gain the benefit of a new start with public opinion favorably predisposed.

If private ownership should retain any measure of control, the raising of fares would be charged to its influence and be accepted by a great part of the public as proof of manipulation.

The public will consent to an increase of fares only if convinced that the increase is absolutely necessary to provide and maintain adequate service. It will trust its own trustees.

This comment from Mr. Richard is not intended as a denunciation of the "service at cost" plan or even as an unfriendly comment upon it. The "service at cost" plan is a good plan when the situation on a particular street railway permits it to be applied under favorable circumstances. Moreover, the **AMERICAN** has great respect for the experience, ability and public spirit of Mr. Homer Loring, who is leading the street railway investors of Massachusetts in the plan for a "service at cost" method of conducting the street railway business.

Mr. Loring and his coadjutors are not dogmatic about their proposal, and that is one of the virtues of their campaign. They admit that no hard and fast, unvariable method is the best in all cases. They acknowledge that the plan can wisely be varied to meet the peculiar conditions upon the several street railways so long as the principle of "service at cost" is kept in mind.

THE PLAN OF "SERVICE AT COST" UNDER PRIVATE MANAGEMENT IS TOTALLY INAPPLICABLE TO THE BOSTON ELEVATED STREET RAILWAY. UNDER PUBLIC CONTROL MR. LORING'S PLAN OF "SERVICE AT COST" WOULD NOT ONLY BE APPLICABLE, BUT HIGHLY DESIRABLE.

As a matter of fact, all the street railways which have been acquired and are being operated by the public in America and Europe, so far as we know, do apply the "service at cost" theory. The United States government does not apply it in the matter of letter-carrying and transportation of information because it regards the work of that branch of the postoffice as educational, and thus of vital importance to the development of the commmunity, and seeks to encourage communications between the different parts of the country. But the parcels post branch of the postoffice is run upon the principle of "service at cost."

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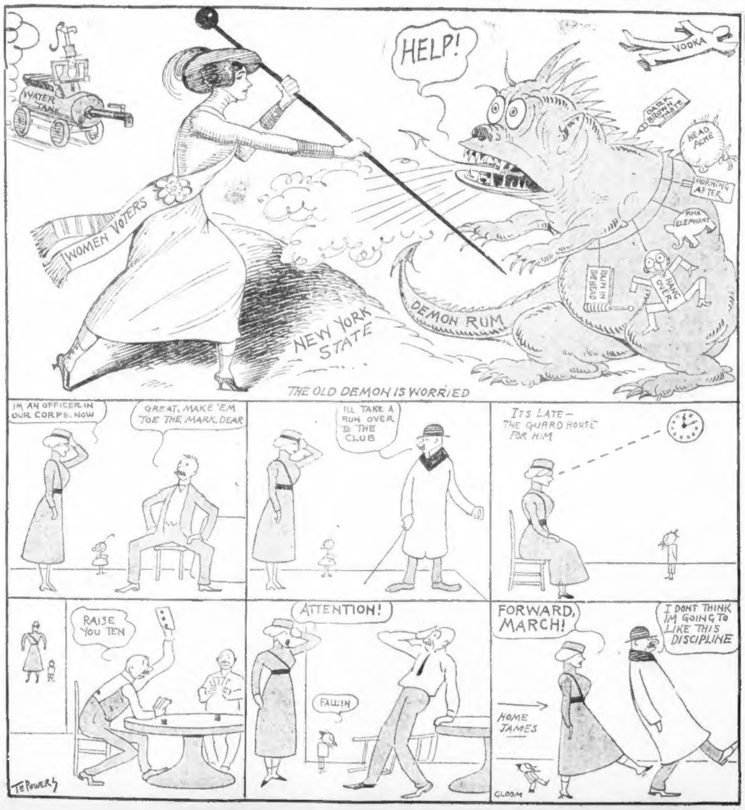

THE EARTH IS LUNA'S BIG SAFETY VALVE

By Garrett P. Serviss

I HAVE had two or three letters expressing the puzzlement of the writers concerning the motion of the moon with regard to the earth. We commonly speak of the moon as revolving around the earth, and in fact our eyes show us that she does appear, in succession, in the course of a month, on all sides of the earth, with respect to the sun, being between the earth and the sun at the time of "new moon," and on the opposite side of the earth from the sun at the time of "full moon."

Yet the fact is that the sun and not the earth is the centre of motion around which the moon revolves, and if her orbit is drawn to scale on a diagram it will be seen that the curve is always concave toward the sun, although half the time it is convex with regard to the earth.

Curvature Alters

The curvature alters, it is true, but never sufficiently to produce a point of inflection or a change from concavity to convexity, or vice versa, as far as the sun is concerned. But at full moon the moon's orbit about the sun is convex toward the earth.

To understand the paradox, it is only necessary to remember that the earth and the moon are so near one another that their mutual attraction causes them to turn round and round their common centre of gravity (which centre, owing to the relative smallness of the moon, is situated about 1,000 miles below the earth's surface), while at the same time both are together moving around the sun.

The best way to convince one's self of this fact is to make a diagram showing the earth and the moon at say four periods in the month, viz., new moon (moon between earth and sun), first quarter (moon behind earth in line of latter's orbit), full moon (moon opposite to sun), and third quarter (moon ahead of earth in line of latter's orbit).

Draughted Out

In making the diagram it is essential to express by the relative length of lines the proportion of the speeds. Thus, in the seven days from first quarter to full moon the earth and moon together travel more than 11,000,000 miles eastward round the sun, while the moon travels only about 380,000 miles eastward round the earth to reach a position 240,000 miles outside the earth's orbit.

You can represent this in your diagram by proportional drawing of the distance of the moon from the earth (which is nearly constant), and the distance that the earth moves forward while the moon is proceeding from its first quarter to its full moon position.

Then connect the successive positions of the earth, and also those of the moon, by curved lines concave toward the sun, supposed to be situated far off below the edge of your drawing, and you will see the line representing the path of the moon crossing and recrossing the similar line representing the earth's path, at an angle so slight that the two curves almost coincide.

Proud of Them

Editor Boston AMERICAN:

Dear Sir—It must be a source of satisfaction to all the men and women who gave their sons to fight for world peace to know that their flesh and blood have battled so valiantly in France.

All the traditions of our mighty nation have been preserved by the armies sent over to help the allies, and every day there come reports of the wonderfully efficient work that they have done in the cause.

Hysterical ones should smile with delight at the patient, long training the men have had, for daily it is showing the benefits which none but a Pershing or a Haig could conceive in advance.

Our men on the seas will give just as good account of themselves when put to the test, and I am sure that the world will soon applaud the valor of men who have been brought up in an atmosphere of democracy which they will, in time, force upon the savages who gloat when they murder women and children at the bidding of insane masters.

A STAY-AT-HOME.

FINANCIAL QUARRELS AVOIDED EASILY

By Winifred Black

SHE'S twenty-four years old. She's married, and her husband earns forty dollars a week and receives a bonus of fifty dollars every three months. The husband gives her thirty dollars a week for herself and her two children and the family expenses, keeps ten dollars a week for himself, and never gives her a cent of the bonus.

He spends the money in all sorts of foolish ways, and the wife is very cross about it.

They've quarrelled seriously, and now she's written to me to ask me what to do about it.

Why on earth she should think I know, I cannot even hope to imagine. But, dear me! I do wish she wouldn't quarrel with her husband about that ten dollars a week. It's all such a waste of time, and after all it is his money when you come right down to it, and she really hasn't much right to make much of a fuss about it, has she?

Why Not Try This Way?

He gives her thirty dollars out of his forty, and lets her do with it as she pleases. Of course, she has to buy food and pay the rent and get the children's clothes and keep herself looking neat and smart, and of course all this isn't easy to do on thirty dollars for a budget.

But what of the women who make fifteen dollars a week do it, and are glad to get that much?

Do you know what I'd do if I were in that woman's place? No, I don't mean that. I mean, do you know what I hope I'd do? Maybe I wouldn't really do it at all.

I hope I'd get my husband to take me and the children somewhere on Sunday.

Somewhere there are other children not quite so bright or so pretty or so perfectly darling as mine, and I'd make my husband proud of mine, and I'd get people to praise them to him, and I would praise him to the children and to my friends, and tell how generous he was, and how devoted he was to the children, and how anxious he was to give them every advantage; and then I'd hope, and I'd keep on hoping, and some day, the first thing he knew, that husband of mine would be taking those two little boys out for a walk and bringing them home in brand-new suits from the shoes to the hat.

I'd never know a thing about it, and I'd laugh and I'd cry and I'd say he was foolish, and too unselfish, and too kind—and the first thing that man realized he would be setting himself up as the model husband and the model father of the neighborhood. And after he had set himself up so for a little while I wouldn't have to pretend any longer, for what I had hoped would come true, and there I'd be without a thing to worry about but how to manage my home and bring up my children and love my husband enough to pay him for all his devotion to me.

A Course in Human Nature

Quarrel over money? I'd quarrel over the temperature of the room and how many windows to open at night and who ought to poke the fire first, and which had the best right to the first look at the new story in the magazine. I'd quarrel over everything or anything before I would bring the misery and the hatred and the bitterness of a fight over money under the roof where my light-hearted, loving little children live.

Besides, it never does any good to quarrel about money.

No one ever comes out ahead in a family dispute about "who spends what" for the most foolish, unnecessary things.

Tact, management, good humor—dear me! Talk about eugenics and the eugenic board to decide who shall marry and who shall not!

I wish every woman and every man in the world had to take a course in human nature before they could either of them get a marriage license.

I believe the world would be a whole lot better off, and, anyhow, the poor, little, helpless children, who are so often the innocent victims of such quarrels, would have something like an even chance for the honest, simple, natural happiness of an honest, simple, natural home life.

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